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Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 12th May, 1892. SOCIETE FRANCAISE DES HOUIL-

JOHN W. KINGHORN,

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Hon. Secretary. Hongkoug, 12th May, 1892.

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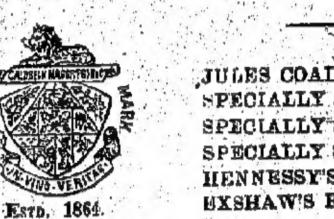
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R. TUCKER. Hongkong, 2nd April, 1892.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. May 18, BORNEO, Dutch str., 1,490 H. Klein, Singapore Ath May, Sugar and Timber.— JARDINE, MAIHDSON & Co. May 13. Benotos, British etc., 1.183, Robt. Farashar, Saigon 8th Mry. Bics. - Gint. LIVINGSTON & Co. May 13. Phates, British steamer, 820, J. Lewis, Taiwanfoo 9th May, Amoy 11th, and Swetow 12th, General -- POUGLAS LAPRAIN &

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OLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 13TH MAY. Signtung, British str., for Shanghai. Sulphiden, Nor. soh., for Tamsai. Fokion, British str., for Swatow. Cosmopolit, German str. for Tonron. Chintung, Chinese str., for Shanghai, Sea Swallow, British sch., for Kelung. Strathleven, British str., for Shanghai. Lombardy. British str., for Singapore. - a21 Michael Jebsen, German str., for Iloilo.

DEPARTURES. May 13, HAINAN, German str., for Nagasaki. May 13, SISHAN, British str., for Swatow. May 13, Changena, Brit. str., for Port Darwin. May 13, ALWINE, German str., for Heihow. May 13, CHINTUNG, Chinese str., for Shanghai. May 13. FORISH, British etc., for Swatow. May 13, LOMBIADY, British str., for Bombay. May 13, Shantung, British str., for Shanghai. May 18, Wosang, British str., for Shanghai. May 13, Severn, British cr., for Yokohama. PASSENGERS.

Per Borneo, etc., from Singapore.-108 Chi-Per Thales, str., from Talwanfoo, &c.-Dr. Per Loo Sok, str., from Amoy, &c. -- 900 Chiness for Singapore and Bangkok. DEPARTED.

Per Changsha, str., for Sydney.-Mrs. Hewett, Mr. MacKenzie, 2 Misses MacKenzis, Messrs. VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGKONG HOTEL, dyog Mr. T. Mitchell

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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

HONGRONG, MAY 14TH, 1892.

From time to time there appear in our own columns and in those of our contemporaries pointed references to the practices of certain diplomatic a cents in the Far East which are not creditable, either to the individuals, or o the countries they represent, or to the profession of diplomacy as a whole. What is broudly insinuated comes in fact to this, that to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's he representatives of some of the greatest Church, returning about 12.30. Powers in the modern world, whose proper | We notice that the subscription list which has last the racing has been of a most interesting business it is to upheld the honour of their been opened by the members of the Cricket Club | nature. to maintain the moral prestige of the civiliza- Travers, will be closed after Saturday, the 21st tion of the West in the sight of the populous inst. Lists for signature lie at the Pavilion and limits settled at the preliminary meetings of the nations of China and Japan, make a kind of at the Hongkong Club. small harter of that honour and that prestige. In fulfilling one part of their duty to their Singapore of Mr. Blamey, who has been in sport, yet would be out of the reach of a large and manufactures, they make themselves the meet any shareholder at Mesera. Symes & Co.'s The season's experiences have shewn that the HE author or authoress of these stories has alagents of special traders and sink the dignity office to give any information desired, but that limits were very judiciously fixed, as a more ready made some reputation by the tales published of the diplomat in the vulgar wal of the surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has landy and seaworthy class and really racing or at the Colonial with this Board it is not advisable that the Colonial handy and seaworthy class and really racing or at the colonial surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here, adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times. Mr. Blamey has a surprising here adds the Times and the surprising here adds the Times would admit as much themselves, and they even more powerful than the Sultan himself cannot be supposed to be so deadened to the sense of shame as to relish the office Lipis, where Mr. Clifford is stationed. At pre-

All, that is, with the single exception of the representatives of Great Britain. An it would be very interesting, were it possible; to follow in the feaults of the systems.

It is something more than a cornectionce that

the line which divides the Powers in this is the sameline which divides them on the great question of Free Trade and Protection; on which The best Mild Aperient for Delicate Constitu- also Great Britain becapies the position of tions, Endies, Children, and Infants, and for regular being in a winority of one. There is on one treaty with the United States, of a restrictive aderable lop, yet the western waters were like Agents-A. S. Watson & Co., Hongkong. 1456 side no confidence in the energy or the ability. of traders or inanufacturers to stand erect. without Government aid constantly propping for the restriction laws against the Chinese. them up, and on the other a perfect conviction of the wisdom of leaving consuerce | 8 p.m. and industry to work out their own salvation. On the one side the principal con-

tended for is force; on the other, freedom. The respective agents of those opposite policies naturally into opposite errors. The champions of a national trade become allied all of which are excellent quality and good value to some particular trader, and fight for hi advantage sometimes to the dumage of others Lordon House, and bought direct from the most of his, own nation. On their system of noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled apecial protection it is hardly possible avoid being drawn into this dilemma. has actually occurred in recent years to the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, representatives of both France and Ger many, and in fact only those diplomatists can avoid it whose country is small enough Body and for other purposes in consection therewith. was all in a bag. Although by no means imto be represented by a single merchant or a error on the British side seems always to to repeal Ordinance No. 19 of 1890 and to amend "The have been that since no individual interest could be legitimately promoted, general indifference to all concrete British interests was the proper attitude for Ministers Capsula (Old Boltled) 18 1.50 Consuls. And in extreme cases positive antipathy to the interests of any individual merchant or manufacturer may be gradual- which he finds " Murdered by British Opium, ly evolved by this habit of indifference. The French have been the most energetic of late in pushing the trade of their nationals; and the effect. The opium map, which is gorgeoustheir notions of commerce are so crude that they take no account of the relative advantages of different producers, but demand simply that what France produces shall be

afford to sell it. That the article can be ob-

tained cheaper or better elsewhere is not even

basis that the French Minister has been so

Government contracts for mils, bridge mat-

erial, and so forth, though, to do him justice,

he seems always ready to offer a quid pro

would appear indeed that the chief induce-

ment which France now has in maintaining

que in the form of missionary claims.

Quarts. Pints persistent in demanding of the Chinese

mercial contracts. There are signs, however, of this gain having been played a little too strong; and the Chinese worm is beginning to turn. The harbour works of Port Arthur were constructed by a French Syndicate, without any great profit perhaps, unless it were to individuals, and a fundamental condition of the contract was that the works should be guaranteed for ten years by the Comptoir | The Melbourne Leader of the 9th ult. says:d'Escompte. The value of that inducement of course disappeared on the failure of the Bunk. Lately it has been reported that will cost the Chinese Government a considerable sum, which would naturally have receive from all our expertable products is in- their owners will appear at the helms of new an astoniched at the Secretary receiving and circome under the guarantee of the Comptoir. is a couple of big dredgers to which allusion is made from time to time lying somewhere in the Peilin river. They were contracted for some years ago for the Yellow River, to be delivered there. But they cannot be delivered there, nor are they supposed to be perfectly suitable if they were. Consequently the Government has steadily refused to take them over or pay for them. But on signing the contract bargain money was paid to M. THEVENET, and the Chineses claim the refund, which of course the French refuse, and there is a deadlock. -The indecent urgency of the French Minister in chasing power of the sovereign. The colonies, applying diplomatic pressure to the Taung-li Yamen to force them to put money into the Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters, &c. pockets of French manufacturers seems not unlikely to provoke refaliation. The Chinaman is a tolerably patient animal, but he has a constitutional objection to being taken advantage of, and it is not improbable therefore that the French Minister will in the end find that be has done more harm than good to the firms for whom he has

The British cruiser Severn left here vesterday

been fighting.

morning for Yokohama.

The Agents (Messre, Butterfield & Swire) inform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s stesmer Nestor left Singapore on the afternoon of the 12th inst. for this port.

To-day's issue of the Daily Press consists of six pages or furty-two columns. The conclud ing chapter of the novelette " Wooing an Amazon" will be found on the sixth page.

The final round for the Lawn Tennis Charapiouship will be played off on the Cricket Ground at 4 p.m. to-day. H. Pinckney, winner of the All Comers' Singles, will meet W. H. Wallace, HONGKONG CORINTHIAN SAILIN the present holder of the Championship.

To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, currying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashere

espective countries at Eastern Courts, and with a view to offering something in the nature of a souvenir to their late Hon. Sec., Mr. A. K.

The Straits Times, announcing the arrival in | which, although offering possibilities for good own country they forget another. Instructed charge of the mining operations of the Punto push the interests of their national trade jour and sugar Dun Samantan Company's concession at Gubau, save that he notified he would expense. commercial tant. That the practice is de- been with Mr. Hardie, and has little to add to than that represented by Kitten, High, Elfin, the modest cover before us will certainly enhance | Veterinary Surgeon to the Dairy Farm Comrogatory to the character of a Minister or the news already current as to the position in and She cannot be desired. even a Consul, it would be superfluous to other usofficial Europeaus from Pahang, Mr. argue. Possibly those who are addicted to it Blamey believes the Toh Rajah of Jellei to be week or more without official news from Pekan they sailed was a forecast of good times coming. We fear strangers reading these sketches of poss cases of cuttle disease—an extensive apide. then deportation is not permissible unless under tion for their continuance. For they all do mining concerns in the country. .

promote the interests of British trade.

A New York evening paper states that the caused an immedia position to be presented to although there was a nice breeze on the eastern whorewith to comfort a grown up young lady treak of a serious cattle disease it would arise, instances, and in the use of the word "depuring the Emperor of China, asking that no further aide of the island and off Cape D'Aguilar a concharacter, be made when the treaty of 1880 em the proverbin mill-pond, and the Elfin appeared will effect to Mr. Ladds being consulting voter. The Colonial Surgeon-I simply reco Chinese Government to retaliste on the States

The Legislative Council mosts on Monday, a

Financial minutes Finance Committee report No. 6.

ORDERS OF THE DAY. provide for the ascertainment of the amounts to be paid by way of compensation in respect of the Wharves-and Piers along the line, of the Prays Reclamation, other purposes in connection therewith. to smend "The Merchant Shipping Consolidation Cr-

dinance, 1891." 3, -Second reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance for the incorporation of the Chairman of the Committee of the Diocesan School and Orphanage. to provide for the due performance of divine worship and other services in accordance with the rites of the Church of England at St. John's Cathedral Church at Viotoria in this colony and elsewhere, to incorpoto amend Ordinance No. 4 of 1865; relating to offences

Dangerona Goods Ordinance, 1873." The Calcutta Englishman writes :- The nam-

phlets which the Anti-Opium Society is scatter. ing broadcast just now are of the most inflam-Opium-News" is headed "The Prolude of page with big lettered announcements among " The Inherent Blusphemy of the Opium Traffic. The Poisoning Policy of the Indian Government." black borders being freely used to add y got up in searlet and black, purports to show parts of British India. According to this map it seems there is no part of British India where the people do not consume more than enough opium to kill off the whole of them; in fact bought, and at the prices at which France can a large portion of the area is shaded with the avowed intention of showing that the opinm consumed is enough to destroy the whole population at least fifty times over! The editors do not admitted into the argument. It is on this condescend to explain how it is, under these ciremmetances, that each succeeding census report shows a large increase in the number of the inhabitants of India so we may appose that they consider it unnecessary to aid that the figures the census are merely another of the inventions designed by a wicked administration to bolater upon iniquitous traffic. Unfortunately, the absurdity of the whole thing does not seem to interfore with the very serious effect which it is produc ing. It is, of course, easy to understand the Lancashire voter not inquiring very closely into m the nominal Christian protectorate is that lises, when he is told that the outburst of prosperi twin China which would follow upon the abolition of the prium trade would keep Lancashire cotton the favour of China in the matter of com- mills running day and night to supply the in creased demond. But one cannot help thinking

that if a little more publicity were given to the

thousand doctors, who have signed one of the

petitions might have been less precipitate in

wallowing the bait, even in the numerous cases

where it must have been held out to them, with

afternoon tea by benevolent old ladies who ex-

peet their doctors to sympathise in projects for he amelioration of the heathen. The fall in the price of silver is being felt in therefore directly amenable to the loss caused by five performance. any reduction in its value but the return we fluenced by the consequent appreciation of eraft next season. gold. The loss entailed under the first headion of a pount makes an appreciable difference. Thus, reckoning the weekly entpot of the Proprietary mine at Broken Hill at 200,000 oz. sailed and a summary of results. Where not has been estimated that the fall in the price otherwise stated time allowance was given acof silver makes a difference to that company alone cording to Y.B.A. scale :of £346,000 a year. The shareholders are able 6th Dec., 1891.—Club Bace; wind-light; Pearl to realise what this means when the contingency is placed before them that it may not be possible to maintain the regular dividend. But the indirect loss, which is not so plainty set forth, is a matter of even more serious import. When when falls the proportion of value between the two metals which form the monetary standards. among all civilised nations changes, and conntries like England, which receive in gold, gain largely by the relative increase in the purhowever, stand in a different position, for they are obliged to remit a large measure of produce in order to obtain the same result. In this way the wool and the wheat industries may be affected by the low price of silver, or rather by the 7th Feb., 1892.—Commodors's Cup Race (Handicap) corresponding rise in the value of gold. Th prespect of any return to the old prices for silver is not very promising, though quotations are 14th Feb., 1892.—Caldwell's Cup Race (Handicap) showing a slightly upward tendency. The rejection of the free coinage bill in the United States has been the latest blow to the hopes of there interested in the recovery of value in silver. The possibility of a rise therefore seems to be narrowed down to a limitation, when only the 6th March. 1:92.-Club Race; wind-rariable nir very rich mines, with ores easily obtained and cheaply reducible, will be able to continue work-

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS. LONDON, 4th May.

THE GENERAL ELECTION IN THE UNITED KINGDOM. .The date when the general election will take place is largely dependent on the attitude of the Opposition in the House of Commons in dealing with Government business, more especially with

regard to the Irish Local Self-government Bill.

THE SEASON'S RACING. The race for Mr. May's Cup on Sunday, the 8th inst., brought to a close the first racing neason of the Corinthian Sailing Club. The season has been a most successful one and from first to

During the summer of 1891 five new boats were built for the purposes of racing within the Club. These limits were fixed in order to prevent the development of mere racing machines

pearance and with a suit of sails which might of them. There is in "Dobson's Daughter" their cattle. They and every other private former cases it has been the costom to make castle of the colliding ship;

Times of the 9th April on English Diplomatists fleet and the Sappers want home jubilant, character depicted excites sympathy or even leave their cattle from destruction. It would of deportation does not exist in (biscease. When and English Traders, published in another It was some time before any fresh additions begats interest. All are sorded and common be Mr. Laids duty to the public to condomn a lepter was discovered at Stunley once before it column in which some interesting references are were made to the first, and except on one on place. Yet it is all so realistic and the people | these cattle as quickly as possible so as to pro- was arranged that the person attacked will made to the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce dusion, when on the second day of the regatta, are so human with their unpleasant failings, vent any risk of the contagion spreading to the loprosy—not being a British subject -should indistment of Sie John Walsham, and to the Argo was sailed over half the source with indif- and events are toldse simply and with much direct general cuttle of the colony. I do not see how go to the Loper Asylum at Conton. In that offorts made in Bulgaria by Mr. O'Conor to ferent success the same let turned up to try con- ness that the reader feels after perusal that he has fit is possible, and I think Mr. Ludds will see him. case I remember the person expressed willing.

provided there was no swell.

rate a Church Body, to vest the said Cathefral in such | for her old log which had stretched badly and | gerate in the other direction. 5. Third reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance proved in appearance the began to sail in a very different manuer and gave a very good account of herself in the final races of the season. All this racing was very interesting to the

Victory," and the reader is met on nearly every ing, and the class will probably drop out alto- McCalium (Secretary). gother next year. This however, will not affect the sport in any

hope that with boats of more equal powers the knowledge as well as the number of deaths. very excessive handicaps found necessary this THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF THE COLONIAL year will not have to be again imposed. The Club Championship Cup was raced for on to

coasions and the score is as follows :-Hiyab 5 wins Kitten 2 ,, Elfa....

The Hiyah thus comes out easily shead, and her success must be attributed in some measure. firstly to her excellent suit of sails, and secondly to baving been on almost every occasion steered and manned by the same belmsman and crew. who by constant practice got to know her best points and make the most of them. She was,

except in one race, steered by her owner. The Killen, whose performances place her next on the list, did not show herealf to advantage till late in the season, but when properly ballasted and fitted with a well cut mainsail was several times too much for the Higal and will next year, we confidently predict, be very near the top of the list. Elfin had her day in the light airs and calm waters at the commence other side of the case, a good many of the five ment of the season, but felt the want of the extra two feet of length when there was any motion. It was not a good season for Pearl as there was seldom sufficient sea for great weight and power to tell and she was speciall unfortunate on one occasion in being unable muster a crew for what turned out to be the hardest blow of the year,

She appeared late in the season and suffered Australian Colonies as well as in the Far East. from inferior gear. On more than one occasion she carried away some of her rigging, which put The fall in the price of silver is a matter which her out of the race. There is no doubt, however, more nearly affects the interests of these colonies that there is lots of pass in her, her performance than may at first sight appear. Not only since last Sunday, when she more than held her own the discoveries at Broken Hill and elsewhere against Elfin and Kitten in a long thrash to an accident had happened to the dock which have, we become producers of the metal, and windward through the Lyeemun being a very The other boats were outclassed, and we hope months? Nor has he answered Question 3 at air.

There will be a general meeting of the Club in The Chinese will do their best to make ing is easily seen. Silver has now fallen as low the Gymnasium of the Victoria Recreation Club for circulating these papers rests with me. They somebody pay for the damage. Then there as 10d. per oz., whereas a year ago the rate was on Friday, 20th inst., at 6.0 p.m. to transact cor- were sont by the Scoretary to me, so he is no almost Sd. higher than the present quotation, tain business and to consider the conditions of responsible for their circulation among the mem-With a large output the decline of even a frac- next year's moing before any new boats are bers. actually laid down

> FAIT: 2; Tylam, Kitten; and Elfin also etarted. (Kitten and Elfin wont wrong course.) 13th Dec., 1891.-Club Race; wind-moderate; Hr. definite answers to the questions. YAH 1: Kitten 2, Pearl 3: Elfin and Tytam. h Dec., 1891. - Regatta Bace; wind-light; Expres 1, Hijoh 2, Kitten 8; Pearl and Faiti.

Kitten 3. Pearl 8; Argo. Jan., 1892.-Club Bace; wind-variable air; H2 YAR 1, Elfin 2, Kitten 3: Poarl. 10th Jan., 1892.—Club Race; wind-moderate; Enrich 1, Hirah 2, Kitten 3: Posel. 17th Jan. 1892.—Club Bace: wind-variable air Ser 1: Elfin and Kitten. (Elfin and Kitton gave 21th Jan., 1992.-Highton's Cup Bace (Bound Island)

wind-variable air: ELVIN 1, Kitten 2, Hiyall 3 wind-strong; Hiyah 1, PRARL 2, Elfin 8; Kitton Faiti. Shamrock. and Periwinkle. (Faiti diamented and Shamrook and Periwinkle gave up.) wind-variable air : Hiyah 1, Kitten 2 : Elfin. Ponel Shamrock, She, Tytam, and Periwinkle. (Hivah Pearl, Tytam, and Faid.

KITTEN 1; Elfin, Hiyah, and She. (She disabled.) broad principle.
6th March, 1892.—Club Esce*; wind—variable air;
Periwinkle 1, Tytam 2.: (Both finished too late to Does any gentle.) 13th Morch, 1892.-Club Race; wind-light; HIYAH 1. Kitten 2. Pearl 8: Elfin. 13th March, 1892.—Club Raos*; wind-light; Falty 1, Tylam 2, Periwinkle 3. 20th March, 1892.—Club Race; wind—moderate Hitah I, Kitten 2, She 3. (Elfin gave up.)
20th March, 1892.—Club Bace; wind—moderate; Farri 1, Perwinkle 2. (Tytam dranbled before

start.) 3rd April, 1892.—Club Bace; wind-strong; HIVAN 3rd April. 1892.-Club Baco"; wind strong; Fairi (Faiti sailed over.) Oth April, 1892.-Club Race; wind-moderate; Kr TER 1, Elfin 2. (Pearl gave up.)

10th April, 1892.—Club Race*; wind—moderate; FA1
TI 1. (Faiti sailed over.)

18th April, 1892.—Dumbleton's Cup Race (Handienp): wind-calm to moderate; Hiyah 1, Krrrey 2 24th April, 1892. - Molesworth's Cup Race (Hand cap); wind-variable air; KITTEN 1, Elfin 2, She 3; Hiyah, Faiti, Tytam, and Pearl, (Last four

th May, 1892.-May's Cup Bace (Handicap); with -moderate : Kitten 1, Elfin 2, SHE 3; Paari, Chap.

*For Boats under 1 rating only.

Note.—The small capitals denote winners. SUMMARY OF RESULTS. Starte. Places. Prizes. Hiyah Periwinkle *Includes 4 races for Boats under 1 rating only.

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and Walsh, Limited, Shanghai, 1892. it, for they are clover after their kind. Perhaps | pany, or any other private enterprise." The season began rather late owing to the the reslian of the writer is a little grim; perfact that the new boats had taken longer to fit haps there is a vein of cynicism running through- on these grounds . Of course in ordinary times deportation of this leper, or for the destruction of

Attention is directed to the article from the have been out at Lapthorn's, spread-engled the little to attract and much to repel; not a single company would do all they could to secure and arrangements to deport the patients. The power clusions, and the Elfin and the High divided the been reading a story of real life, and not a mere self that it would be extremely difficult for him ness to go there. The house was destroyed and fiction. There is one serious ain against pro- to perform his official duties properly. It is not componention was given. I think in the present On the 24th January the fleet suited cound the babilities in this story, however. Lives there a matter that arises to-day, it may not arise for a case the Colonial Surgeon intended that the

mourning the loss of bome and father ?....

No doubt the other story "Of the Noble Army" | consideration and it seems to me to be an absorbed by deported. pires. The signers of the polition charge the to solve the problem of how to sail in the desired the hope that the colours have been laid entrather inary surgeon for any private company. Where mended the same course as in provious causes. direction in a flat calm and won the oup "hands harehly, for certainly it is a decidedly repulsive and when any cattle are destroyed by his advice. The President It is purely a matter of down. All through the season she showed a description of missionery life in China. There the duty is imposed upon Mr. Ladds to value arrangement with the patient. I don't have wonderful power of "shooting" away in a calm may be Antony Sweetapples probably there those cattle. He would be necessarily in a that there is any law to compet her to go if she are many-but it is to be hoped that the other very difficult position if he was at the same refuses. Up to the 7th February there had never been characters are exceptional, for they are most time public officer and private consulting ve. ... Wr. Frances-I are reportedly in the new enough wind to cause any shortening of sail, decidedly unchristian and worldly to a degree. In any emergency when he papers that some laper has been sent away by but on this day in a cold north-agater a hard The writer has undoubted talent and possesses was called upon to perform his important duties the police. race was sailed. Roofs and small jibs were neces not only an intimate . knowledge of life in there would at once be a serious conflict, between The CAPTAIN STREET NEED NOT OF POLICE mary on all the graft and there were several China but also the power of dissecting character. his duties to the public and his duties to the prist - They are generally cases of vagrants. casualties, the Faiti coming home without a We hope to see further productions from the vate company. If he was merely consulting . Mr. Francis a general power of must and the Killen getting half filled with some pen, but should be glad to see less unlovely veterinary surgeon to us as a Board, as well as the Governor to deport it would apply. if muceswater. The Pearl at last had her weather, and characters and more fascinating scenes brought the Dairy Farm and other companies, there sary in this case. to fix the periods for the payment thereof and for although beaten by the Hiyah by five minutes on to the canvas another time. Realism is all would be no trouble, but he is our executive The PRESIDENT Think they must be than won the Commodore's Cup on her handican very well, but we get our full experience of it in officer and not a more consulting officer. It is gerous to the peace and good order of the colony. actual life, and there is no special reason why his duty to segregate cattle and order their Another spell of light winds now ensued and we should take our fiction, as we are credited destruction if necessary. I opposed the matter limitation to the power of the Governor. There Hiyah on one occasion, had had luck, losing a with taking our pleasures, sadly. Hence it is originally and I now beg to move the resolution prover to deport for a period of live years. prize through being musble to finish in the that though we may admire the fidelity to un- tion I have read. time laid down, crossing the line 15 sees, late, ture of the realistic writer, the majority of us Mr. EDE-Might I ask whether that involves 4.—Committee on the Bill entitled an Ordinance Kitten, who had been going nunceountably hadly prefer for our general rending the novelists who, his not having any private practice whatever. for some time, now began to wake up. Her trim like Dickens or Beaunt. bring into prominence because if so there is one point to be raised. was altered bringing her to her proper water. the tenderer and warmer thurseteristics of There is no private veterioury surgeon in Hongline. A gelf mainsail was rigged in exchange human nature, and perhaps unconsciously exagt kong and it would be very hard if persons had

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natory nature. The last number of the Anti- R.A. bundicap. This was won by Faili, but Cantlie, Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., Mr. J. D. paid servant of a private company or person.

In connection with the Saperintendent's re- and receive his fee. way, as in all probability there will be a large ad. port for April Mr. Francis called attention to lition to the fleet. Two new boats have already the fact that although the number of deaths to see Mr. Ladds quite independent of private been ordered to be built from designs by Mr. occurring owing to small-pox was reported. Cooke, and we hear rumours of two other designs there was no record of the unmber of cases. It being forthcoming. Everything therefore points | was resolved that the Secretary be instructed to upon him, and I would rather myself that the he amount of opium consumed in the various to a capital season's sport next winter, and we report all cases of small-pox coming to his

VETERINARY SURGEON. The following papers were read to the Board. They consist as will be seen, of the request

by Mr. Ladds. The Colonial Veterinary Surgeon.
Sir.—At the meeting of the Board held yesterday the question of your continuing to act as Consulting Veterinary Surgeon to the Dairy Farm Company was considered. The following motion was agreed to :--That the consideration of the question be postponed and that Mr. Lad is be required to report in lution -"That in the opinion of this Board it is time, when the Customs lannch bors down upon writing to the Courd-

Farm Company.
2.—The nature of the nervices performed by his luting the last three menths. "3.-The time occupied by him in the performan of these duties. Please let me have the report asked for as early

HUGH MCCALLUM, Secretary. 30th April, 1892.

The Secretary, Sanitary Board. Sir.—Herewith answers to the above. 1. - I accepted the post of Consulting Veterinar argeon to the Dairy Farm Company on the distinct understanding that I was not to be called in for case: which the manager was computent to deal with himself 2.-The nature of the services rendered were share of ordinary veterinary medical consultations. Daley Furm promises which would occupy about 13 bouns each, together with no more than twelve conspliations in the city with the manager and which

C. VIVIAN LADDS,

Colonial Voterinary Surgeou. 2nd May. 1892 Minute by Mr. Francis; - By no mains autisfactory. Mr. Lidds dobe not state whether his two visits and twelve consultations are in the week. month, or year, nor at what ratche is to be remanerated for them. He has not attempted to answer question 2. What has be done during the last three

culating this doorment as a reply to his manio. The PRESIDENT-I may say the responsibilit

The following table gives a detail of the races papers be returned to Mr. Ladds and he be requested to give categorical and proper replies officers against the person importing the cattle 12th May at 1.15 p.m. I bearded the steamer Nato the saswors put to him. He has not answered either the first or second questions and only to the third has he attempted to give some sor of a reply. I propose that the papers be returned The resolution was not seconded.

Dr. CANTLIE-I want to ask whether or no b Dec., 1891. - Regatta Bace; wind-light; HITAR | it was ever before the Board the amount that Mr. Ladde is receiving from the Dairy Form. do not think the Board has much to do with what he is receiving, but I believe some information on the subject has already been sent in by Mr. Ladds at some time or another.

The President-I am informed by the Se cretary that he does not remember any communication of that kind, and the other members do not seem to recollect such a document. Mr. Humphreys-I do not think that if gentleman is allowed private practice with one or more firms that it is any business of ours as to what arrangement he makes with regard to his remuneration, and if we allow Mr. Ladds to practise privately I do not think it would be fair finished 16 secs. after time decided for stopping race.) to call upon him to say what he received from 21st Feb., 1892.—Caldwell's Cup (Handicap); wind— each firm. If I had not felt that, I should have variable air; Kitten I, Elfin 2, SHR 3; Hiyah, had much pleasure in seconding the motion of had much pleasure in seconding the motion of Mr. Francis. My objection is entirely upon the

The President-Mr. Ladds is now present Does any wentleman wish to ask him may ques-

The CAPTAIN SUPERINTENDENT of POLICE-Board, and it was decided that they should be lant villages in the Colony, the various cometeries asked. Mr. Francis thinks, and others think. that the answers are not satisfactory. As Mr. the Conservancy Contractor's float of boats at the answers are not satisfactory. As Mr. the anchorage off Sham-shui-po. Nothing in some Ladds is here I think it would save time and nection with these proceedings calls for remark in trouble if the President or Mr. Francis put a this report. few questions to him in order to elucidate the answers he has given. The Board must carry out its own resolutions.

Mr. FRANCIS-I cannot form any other opinion than that these questions have not been answered properly, and as the Board has decided that these questions hould be put I think it is the simple duty of the Board to see that they are

Dr. CANTLIE-I also think they are satis factorily answored The PRESIDENT-It seems to me that any member who is not satisfied with the answers received is at liberty to ask any further question he likes now.

Dr. CANTLIE-I beg to propose that Mr. Ladds' answers be accepted as they stand. The DIRECTOR of PUBLIC WORKS seconded. The Captain Superintendent of Police -Before the motion is put I should like to observe that having read the answers of Mr. Ladds to the communeation of the Secretary, it appears should be deported. that the answers to questions I and 2 are not satisfactorily given. I do not myself think that it concerns us as to what remuneration Mr. Ladds receives, but as the Board asked these questions I think that they ought to receive

carried, only the Captain Superintendent of leprosy Police and Mr Francis voting against it. Mr. FRANCIS-Then I will propose the follewing resolution :- "That in the opinion of

Mr. HUMPHREYS seconded. Mr. FRANCIS-I propose the resolution up-

to lose a horse or a cow or any other animal he-

is not permitted to practise privately. Mr. FRANCIS-I don't think there is the same objection to that as in the other case. The usual meeting of this Board was held Mr. Eng-Although I at first thought that owners and crows of the new boats, but the old yesterday. Hon. J. H. Stewart Lookhart (Re- there was no objection to Mr. Ladds bolding should be some aftention calculate the legislation and smaller craft were having a very had time of gistrar-General) presided, and there were present this position, since I have heard the expressions on the subject. it, so the Club offered a Championship Cup for Hon. F. A. Cooper (Director of Public Works), of opinion at this Board and elsewhere I think Mr. FR No. boats under I rating to be won by the boat Major-General Gordon (Castain Superintendent) now that it is underlined that the Colonial tendent of Police might bed into the question winning the greatest number of races under of Police). Dr. Ayres (Colonial Surgeon), Dr. Veterinary Surgeon should be the regularly a little more and see her the matter stands the competition was very small and not encourage. Humphreys, Mr. N. J. Ede, and Mr. Hugh think, however, that for the sake of the public he might be alloyed to take private practico, in individual cases, to see an animal, give advice,

> Mr. HUMPHREYS-I should very much like practice. It seems to me that the new Vaccine Institute will throw a great deal of extra work Government could see its way to make such an arrangement in reference to the Vaccino Form that an addition to Mr. Ladds' income might be a charge, backed apparently by the strongest made without putting the Government to any extra expense. I think that the Vaccine Form to a great extent should be self-supporting, and the Secretary for answers to several questions an additional source of revenue obtained from it. suggested by the Board, and the replies given But I do not see any objection to Mr. Ladds left the harhour, having first duly obtained their

The DIRECTOR of Public Work -That all he is doing now. -I ber to propose as an amendment to the resofor the public good that the Government Yeterin-1.-The terms of his engagement with the Dairy a y Surgeon bepermitted to give veterinary aid all the dairy farms in the colony." Of course we all know that a Government servant should

veterioury aid. That would be quite different | the report at the time, and it was not until after to him holding a consulting position. to meet the suggestions which had been made, I ernment received particulars of the affair and connection with the Dairy Farm Company does | will also doubtless take place upon the question not appear to have interfered with his duties to linvolved, which is certainly serious and pressing. the Board during the last three months, but, in The fact that the runn reached the shows from view of Mr. Ladds being an executive officer of 11 a jank is very strong presumptive evidence as the Board, the Board does not approve of his to the distance the boats were from the shore. continuing his present connection with the 11 seems pretty clear, therefore, that the seizure would not be of longer duration than afteen minutes Dairy Farm Company, but have no objection to was perpetrated in British waters, as has too his being allowed general consultant practice often been done in the past, and if this is proved and to accept fees for each case as it arises."

was ananimously carried. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT. The following was the report of the Sanitary unorintendent for the month of April, 1892 Prainage Works,-Nothing occurred during the month calling for remark in this report. Markels and Slaughlet. houses, - With freference the occurrence of cases of cattle plague in Kaulung in the end of March, a notice was posted in various places in Kaniung on the 7th April declaring the coninsula to be tree from that disease. On the 20th the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon reported that two animals imported into Kaulung on the 17th were suspected by the Police to be diseased and were detained till he had examined them. He found them hecanse the Police had at once prosecuted and obtained a conviction, a substantial penalty being infloted. Health Districts .- 15 cases of small por were of ported during the month and of these 5 terminated passengers' luggrage. I saw this defendant on to him with directions to give precise and the lat January to the 1th April is 26 and of these against the starboard side of the starboard side of the starboard side of the starboard. He 8 terminated fatally. For two weeks after a case h occurred in a house, enquiry is made every thir day if any other person in the house has become from small-pox. When two cases have been reporte in neighbouring houses, a house to house enquire is made in the locality. The method of enquire simply to ask the people living on each floor of the saw him moving the bag. He replied that it far as I can gather a good few of the householders dislike at an a question being put to them, viewing it as an onen of bad lack. In every instance where seemed very much frightened. I put my stick promptly reported I have taken pains to make the but feeling something hard also I opened it. persons responsible clearly understand that the found a Chinese jacket which I took out. I then a disease was in their own interests insemuch as it was boxes containing five pounds of dynamics each seread of the disease generally; and I have also I found two European jackets, a pair of Eurotold thom that the only reason why they were not penn trousers, and undernouth them fifteen being prosecuted for not reporting promptly was that boxes of dynamite cach containing ave pounds. I had some doubt as to the length of time they know of the disease before they reported it. In most of the cases no Chinese medical practitioner seems to have are no lab is on the bags or anything to show been consulted prior to the sending of the cases to I that , they confuined dangerous goods. The the Tung Wa Hospital. Contracts - The work done under the various con-

tracts has been carried out in a fairly satisfactory manner. Approximately 2,460 tons of street awentings, demestic and trade refuse have been removed from Victoria, Hill, and Kaulung Districts during Personal proceedings. Inspected a portion of cash of the Ordinance The three questions here were approved by the of the Health Districts of Victoria, the more import. for Chinese, the refuse dopôt at Ching-wan Bay,

> A LEPER AT STANLEY. A short report from the Sanitary Superinten. dent ament a recent case of leprosy at Stanley was read as follows :---

When at Stanley last month I come across a young weman who appeared to me to be suffering from leprosy. I arranged, when out there on Saturday, to have her brought in to the hospital so that the Colonial Surgeon might examine her. This he has. Mr. EDR-I consider myself that they are to her condition. I have sent her back to her home

at Stanley On the last occasion that a lenor was discovered by the Registrar General for removing the leper to the Asylum which exists somewhere in the neighbour bood of Canton and the house was demolished. I am inclined to think that it would be well to fe low a similar course in this case, if possible.

HUGH McCallum, Secretary. 9th May, 1892. Copy of Certificate.

Government Civil Hospital The woman Tang Sau Tai sent in charge of Chi nese Police Constable 131 is undoubtedly a leper and (Signed) Pu. B. C. ATRES.

The motion of Dr. Cautlie was then put and whom are, I know, much interested in the question of that he would rather go to gool. (Signed) J. H. S. LOCKHART. 10th May, 1892. Minutes appended :-

> will not effective cleansing be sufficient? If demolition is necessary, is any compensation given and or to-day. what; and on what tenure is the land held on which the house stands? Mr. J. J. Francis-What authority is there for

Chinese in the United States have recently island for a cup presented by Mr. Highton, and the young man simple enough to buy candies month or a year, but whenever there was an out. same course should be adopted in previous There is another very particular and important | tiou" he did not mean exactly that the women

Mr. Francis-I do not know that there is any The PRESDENT-Shall we make mrange ments, as in previous casus, with this leper to have him removed to Canton Asylum? Mr. FRANCIS-Would it not be advisable promote some legislation on the subject? The President-la this erro we must try to arritage it. Do I take it the Board wishes cause of such a resolution as this, that Mr. Ludds | that to be done, the house destroyed, and fair compensation given?

Members signified their resont. Mr. EDE-At the same time I think we might suggest to the Government that there Mr. FR NOW -! think the Captain Separin

The Board thound journed until May 27th.

This was agreed upon and the matter dropped;

ALLEGED SEIZURE OF JUNKS BY A CHINESE CRUISER

A case of a somewhat remarkable and important unters is at present occupying the attention of the Government, being no less than evidence, against the Chinese flustons authorities at Hougkoug. It appears that on the avoning of the 2nd inst. two junks bound for Tameni giving private advice to anyone and receiving | clearances at the Harbour Master's Office. Their cargoes consisted of kerosine, which of course is an article upon which in Chinese waters duly is The CAPTAIN SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE Payable. The junks had not proceeded further than Stanley, and were close inshore at the them, took them perempterily in tow, and effected a complete, however unjustifiable, capture-They were forthwith fowed to Changehow not as a rule be allowed private practice. That | Station, and their altimated is good, and the fate s a recognised principle, but it does seem desir- of their organs, are not known. These facts have able that Mr. Ladds being the only veterinary | been furnished by a man what when the "ast ons surgeon in the colony, every owner of a cow or liganch took charge of the vessels, jumped everother animal should be able to apply to birm for | board and reached the share. Howdill not make his return from Tamoni that the matter was of r. Francis, having amended his resolution | placed before the Polico. From them the Covproposed it again as follows:-" That Mr. Ladds' I investigations are being under Cor espondence or admitted to be so, active steps ought to be Mr. HUMHPREYS recorded, and the motion taken to put a stop to a system most highly oboctionable both in its principle and practice

> TOTACE COURT. 13th May.

BEFORE MR. H. E. Wodenocate

UNLAWFULLY CARRYING DYNAMITS. Lan Apan was charged with carrying or auring to be carried 100 lbs. of dynamite in con-

travention of section 10 of Ordinance S of 1873, Detective Sergoant Haddon said: -On the mon, then lying alongside Donglas Wharf in the harbour. I bearded her in order to search then eat down between that and another bag which he had. It is face appeared familiar to me. I asked him where he was going to. He said he was going to Swatow and produced a ticket. He said he had no box or elething. I teld him I cose if there are any cases of small-pox there. As did not belong to him. He then tried to get away, but I caught, hold of his quoin. Ho have had reason to suspect that a case had not been | against the hag and it appeared to contain rich bject of compelling the reporting of cases of this took out is coil of fuse and then I found four amily from being infected, and second to provent the und some more only of fuse. In the other bug The dynamite is in ordinary cartridges. There prisoner is not known in gaol Prisoner stated that he brought it from Yaumati and was going to take it home.

> Monday next at 10 o'clock, when it will be tried by two Magistrates according to the provisions Bail allowed in two sureties of \$150 ench. STEALING CAMPHOR. One woman and four mon were charged on remand with being concerned, with others, in stealling 229% lbs. of camplion, the property of A. Becker, merchant. After hearing some further evidence the prisoners were committed for trial

Bail was allowed.

The case was at this point adjourned until

MARINE MAGISTRATE'S COURT. 13th May.

BEFORE COMMANDER R. M. RUMSEY, R. N. REFUSAL OF DUTY.

George Long, an ordinary seeman on board the British ship John McLood, was charged with wilfully disobeying the lawful commands of the master of the said vessel on the 11th inst. Oscar Henderson, the complainant, said-I am master of the British ressel John McLood. Detendant is on the articles as ordinary seaman. He signed ou as A. B., but I disrated him. I produce the official log from which it appears that on the 5th he went ashere without leave and remained away until the 'lith, when he was brought back by the police. He then refused to work. On the day that he was brought back I ordered him to duty, but he refused: I gave him orders again yesterday and this morning. I agree with you. Before writing in to the Colonial but he would not obey them. He said he did secretary on the subject, you might circulate this paper among the members of the Roard, some of not want to work any longer in the ship and but he would not obey them. He said he did Defendant said-The captain told me that if I pould get anything to do on share he would discharge me. I came on there and was looking for a job for six days and then the police took

His Worship sentenced him to seven days' imprisonment with hard labour.

A recent accident in the River Houghly at Calcutta has been traced to an extraordinary source. A steamship, with a full cargo of tea, the sense of shame as to relish the office Lipis, where Mr. Clifford is stationed. At prewhich their instructions thrust upon thou, sont it is not unusual for Mr. Clifford to be a new boats went the wrong course, but the way feeting and office and the prethe race itself was rather a failure as the two feetings are defined to be a new boats went the wrong course, but the way feeting and office a minimum depth of 12 feet of water. In The instructions must therefore be of a and at one time recently be had no communication for fourteen days. Wr. Blancary says that after the most approved home fashion, they made impressed, and the success at the foreign life in China will bardly be favourably be favo tending the national policy which is represed, and the glamour which is represed to the present strational policy which is represed to the present stration of the present stration of the gorgeons East of the work of all the present with the work of all the large and the glamour which is represed to the present stration of the gorgeons East of the work of all the large are now, but that a great store of marsh gas had been formed will be ruthlessly stripped from it by a perment would ever compensate them for the less of the word deportation was unfortunate. In in the sunker hall, and had ignited in the fore-

GAUB MINES.

the mine during the past four weeks.

the ato of loaving, viz., 2:1 oz.

the Raub Help tound its way into it and swampflooding is to fill up the Raub Hole. This I inton' doing as soon as I once out in the new im it up without adding to the cost of doing so. West on Lode. - The excessive wet has caused a lot of trouble in the glopes above the level by causing the ground to run. The greatest care has to be exercised in taking out the excund to prevent the ground from falling in, besides causing a great deal of labour in Feaning the levels ! clean These causes, have prevented the aspal quantity of grashing salaff being sent to the baffery. There is and change to report in the ippearance of these stones In the No. 2 level (160 ft.) from engine shuff a drive has been oriented north on the west side of the lade and 49 feat driven. Some very rich ore lias been got in this drive, equal to any get in the Fant links The formation is a series of amount of crushing stuff has been sent to the battery from this drive, which soon caused

A drive has also been, op not on the east sid of the la la Of the never the shaft. The whole of the staff from this drive is being sent to the battery for arushing. The ore is heavily oborgod with iron pyrities and a little gold can seen in the quirts in breaking. I think there is little doubt that these two drives are on the two sides of one great lod's formation. Where we have gone through it with the grossent, it i divided by a ligree of mullock about 25 ft. wide but as the two drives go north, it annears to b cutting out and the two drives converging to wards each other. From appourance I should say there is fully 29 feet of crushing stuff. But very little progress can be made with the work of opening, up the ground till the winding plant can be got to work for handing the stuff. This I see no prospect of being done for the prosout: The winze connecting the top and bottom levels is now down 85 feet. The lade is a good deal broken in the bottom and underling very fast forthe cust. I hope to break through into the bottom level during the ensning week.

great improvement in the amalyan on the

The framing of the house for the winding plant is almost finished, and poppet heads are partly fitted together. This work has been stopped a good deal owing to taking the monaway to complete the defences of my bungalow which I think is now fairly safe against any innovation. Those whom he approaches are saffers, objected as being unlucky.

Battery. -Started crushing on the 4th just and has run 154 days to date. I intend to have a rough cleaning up at the end of next week. Disturbance. - Since my return from Singaporn all has been quiet at Ranb. There are all Borks of ramours fiving about of what is to occur after the Bulan Prasa is over. In the maintime every presention is being taken to prevent us be ing taken by surprise. The only danger is that they may take as by sararisa when the men are scattered about at their work during the day. My bungalow is like a barracks; the whole of the Baropsens, Telegraph Master and Inspector Foley camping justice, and a strong Sikh grand on the vermedale at night. It is hardly possible to make at night without coming into confact with rifles or cartridge boxes. The health of the camp is good, there being

practically up sickness.

MNGLISH DIPLOMATISTS AND

ENGLISH TRADERS.

be readered by ther Majesty's diplomatic and to their information .- Times, 9th April. consider officers in proporting the extension of British tends in foraign countries. The onestion is by no morns new, but is one which has for a long time engaged the attention of successive Governments; and in 1836 it led to ; sories of communications between the Poreign Office, and Her Majesty's Consuls, and afterwards between the Foreign Office and the lieve been so near to death as to see him face to necent as they are melodious. -various chambers of commerce in this country. face. It steadies the nerves for any subsequent diplomatic activity were practicable and were to lincident, e-pscially when the end-which is also. as much in the direction indicated as could que surroundings, it shall be marrated here. propert, that any morease in the amonal, or dahabeent as far as the first cataract; perhaps paradise. One does not realize what water ful poace and case.

general tendency of the letters from the For. least three out of that happy four to lingar in one foot in rich, verdent-growing crops and the him ten and pills when out of sorts, and Rois Nile, like goos borries from a bottle. abeyance, until it was to a small extent revived in the native quarters, is always interesting. A Koroska to the Delta. or even from the routed convictions of the last of her voyages. civilization.

24th inst.

1 borne testimeny, some remarkable illustration in gently ways.

1 buring my absence, owing to the increase indifference of English rain, a go d deal of interruption occurred in carrying of the work at the work of the separate the separate that the present unless the observation of the separate that work of the second unless the observation of the second unless the observation of the second unless the observation of the present unless the present unless the observation of the present unless the observation of the ground in the new engine shall, the water from | contract for the supply of 200,000 yards of cloth | new and blen to push the vessel off sand banks. for the uniforms of the Bulgarian army. He was to watch, and trim, and farl the huge labour ad the man out. The only demage done is the met by a response that the manufacturer in sail, and for hours together to boil along the delay caused in paraping the Ranh Hole dry question was in the habit of making goods in bank with the tow-rope braced round their agair. This I hope to have done by the and gray, and that he was surprised at the shoulders; dragging the ponderous and lezy craft next week, when the sinking of the shaft will Halzarians for adopting a gray uniform, when, along at about a mile and a list or two miles ngam he resumed. The only way to prevent the in his judgment, blue and gray would suit them per hour. A very serious and elaborate de equally well. Other instances were of a some, cument has to be signed before emburking what similar kind; and all betrayed an expect- between the biror and the Captain, ap city shart by tipping the mullock into it and so fill ation on the part of the British manufacturer the sums to be paid and the dates of payment that the "native" would purchase whatever it with certain riedges of " backsheesh" or presents might suit the Englishman to anpply him with, in money if all goes well and estisfactorily. Such tacties have small change of success when will be seen, the Bedonia was fate I nover to re-

> approval, and to describe as affording a true dark odiet of Thath and Knopsh we happily article which appeared in our columns on the loyous or full of anticipated pleasure than ours i "traders must look for their real support in the at the mainmast and the bright little man "struggle against foreign competition. The paumon at the point of the latern yard. "gigantic fabric of English trade was not built | Sailing the Nilo thus, day after day, is surel cilities for learning the actual requirements of spect for the "effeudi." the locality. The Englishman, in too many in. Three or four among their number gained our ought to buy, and does not even take the need. | named " Selim "-whom we almost instantly re ful steps for explaining the merits of his com. christened "The Ballale"-a tali, graceful le

carry improvement to the extent of startling "Sheitan," or the Devil, to which the successful mothers of conducting business. It not always too decent if faithfully translated. dence to sayon Colonel Howard Vincent, M.P. would scarcely be possible for a Parliamentary The simplicity of manners to which one has to the land, and your floating home is as quiet as a feet we reached an Arab handet, where the wifor 85 fight, and Mr. J. W. Lowther, the Committee to arrive at any other conclusion; and be accustomed in Nile travellings is, in british a church under the mad ledge. From the town or men put warm, dry native dresses on Lady

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the close affection of the Government. The loss of time but a most agreeble nevelty to at you may stand in Middle and Upper Egypt with been very kind to that vonerable Arab, giving less moment when we were all flung into the

regard to penalties imposed upon British ship. after the other Alnaschar, and Mescour the morning, before the sun has cleared the hills ingus, come to an end with those too happy touch of Oriental bonour which redeemed for owners on account of opium sonuggling by per. Eunuch, and the one-eyed Calendar, and per. which shut us from the Red Sea, the dalabeeah days. sons on board who were not under their control, haps a veiled Princess going to her "trinkeet" It was an object, that January morning, to my Nile story with that pretty action of the How far these complaints were justified must | Wandering on foot or by donkey in the "sil- if there be any serviceable breeze and gracefully, start early and make the whole run to Girgeh. | Captain of the Bedowin. remain museriain; but Sir John Walsham has ver street" and the alley, called by dragomans resumes her daily task of stemming the perpetual a considerable town, where we were to take new been appointed to Buoliarest, and will shortly |" the smelly bazaar," where attar of roses, myrrb, downward current of the river. The scene is then | supplies and where we had arranged to reward | I suppose he scon found my bag of sovereigns be replaced at Peking by Mr. O'Conor, who, gum labanum, and civet make the warm atmos levely. The fair Egyptian dawn has broken, the good service of the crew with a sheep for a unid went off with it, for he reported that the to the purity of mountain air or to excuse ins Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General at sphere delicious, and among the booths above. Pearly and research at least and a fantasis of dancing and liceworks. | ghost of my cook and other dreadful "Afreets" Safia, has evinced especial zeal in furthering the where they sell shawls and pipes, tobucco and water birds—cranes, pelicans, wild geese and this Accordingly though a rather too fresh wind haunted the spot and that he could and would simply due to the protracted influence of interests of his countrymen in commercial enter- ombroidery, amused sufficiently the ladies, while -whos happy cries fill theair. Numerous native was blowing. I rose early, and after consult- search no more. The Bellouin has long ago prises It is therefore tolerably is rigin that no I transacted the riverside affairs. It was late bosts of the Strangest build and rig, with tattered lieg the Captain, gave word to start. My disappeared in the maddy bed of the Nile, reasonable ground of complaint is likely to arise in the season to select a dahabeesh. The best but picturesque sails, go up and down laden with wife and son and daughter were still in their but her fate is still a legend of the Nile. under his rangement; but it must be remem- were already all engaged, and I had to content beaped up grain; or chopped folder, or sheaves cabins and we had thus far only sailed about For myself. I do not wish to experience gions of sea-girt Scotland, and next to the nabernd that all British intersourse with China is with the Bedowin, a craft of five cabins with a league. Coming under some high red another moment like that when the sail at present conducted under considerable friction, jenin or garden, and an upper deck, un old, but white or blue gowns and the Old (10 years) Malwa 8550 and that seen the most zealous and capable not a bad boat, which had been up and down the make water pictures which you long to preserve, ed Jebel-esh-Sheikh, I was on the upper deak wing of a wounded pelican, and the Nile seemed Yakuts of Northern Siberia, enjoy the most Old (15 years) Malwa \$560 Minister may be quite unable to abviate diff- ancient river so often that no one could have and upon the banks an endless procession passes watching to see that Selim did not make fast to lift up and drag away my limbs like shreds of complete immunity from consumption. The consumption was a second have and upon the banks an endless procession passes watching to see that Selim did not make fast to lift up and drag away my limbs like shreds of complete immunity from consumption. The ention arising from personal or racial hostilities, dreamed we were destined to charter her for the all day of equally artistic figures—peasant for one moment the sheet, the Reis was giv. river grass. But it was indignation and swift frost-cure doctrine is, indeed, a logical, and, practi. Pates (Old) ... 35576

nutives of both countries that each of them A dahabeeah is a large, flat-bottomed vessel of ers, and boatmen all seen in sharp silhonette command steering, when on a sudden a furious I am persuaded a man has no time to be frightencontains and represents all that is valuable in wide beam, with a main mast and a short mizzen; against the clear azure of the western sky; upon the former of which is hoisted the great The river, never running far in one and the upon the lefty lateen sail, sweeping at the same leisure to feel none, but I was furiously angry. Colonel Howard Vincent addresses Mr. lateen sail, with its long and towering yard of same direction, constantly shifts the point of time over the breadth of the river, which it lash- and the anger was useful in controlling my help-Lowther for the purpose of asking for a Parlia- lashed baraboos. These Nile boats look extreme- view, and so makes a succession of charming ed into white tamult. The little ship heeled less Equations. mentary committee to inquire into the whole ly graceful, and even imposing, skimming the combinations out of the otherwise changeless over and I rushed down from the upper deck to -Japan Mail. question at issue, but it cannot be said that he stream with their vast white or striped wings features of the Nile landscape—the yellow de- belo let fly everythings ad get the sail reefed. rests his application upon any evident or plainly outspread, the point of the braced-up yard fork- sert bills, the strips of sand waste at their feet, As she righted and rocked over the other way stated grievance. He alleges, in general terms, ing high up into the sky, and always terminated the broad or narrow belts of oultivation, the my wife came hurriedly and half-dressed out of that English and French diplomatic and consular by a pretty filagree work pennon with a bit of raised banks, and the shining channel. At every the cabin, from which my son and danwhter agents are backward in affording the assistance gay-coloured silk bearing the name of the ship, few miles a minuret, jutting its delicate white had not yet emerged, and called to me in which their commercial fellow-countryman are Our ill-fated but not anhundsome craft had an needle in the air above the palm groves, or a plant, I was saying something conventional Minden Boys," and "Kingeley's Stand," have 8th May, had light variable winds and calms to entitled to expect from them; while the Gorman simple waist for the sallors, and a cook's galley fleet of little cargo boats fastened to the shore, to reassure her when another blast laid preserved the traditions of the First of August Paracels, and strong N.E. winds and heavy sea Ministers and Consuls are unflagging in their amidships, with two cabins on either side of the betoken a village, which will look like a rubbish the dahabeeah violently over and the cook, ap- more cosely than any other regiment of the six. to port. efforts to advance German commercial interest: passage going aft, as well as another commodious heap alive with buman insects, so humble in parently just risen from sleep, toppled and fell They were in the hottest of the fight, and came to show that German traders have Government state-room in the extreme storn. The roof of architecture are the hats of mid with their flat overboard. Obeying an instinct to render him home "as covered with laurels as a Jack's. recognitionand approval, and that these cabins formed an apper deck. protected by roofs of maize and dhours straw, and so all alike help I flying myself nordes the Green on May Day." It was at Minden that Salgon of the Green on May be and dhours straw, and so all alike help I flying myself nordes the Green on May bay." 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It is, of where it was very nice to walk or sit, as the Bedou- about them. pour-e, very easy to make general assertions of in glided before the wind or was lazily towed You have left behind at Gizeh the last of the ward his sinking form, while I could feel my benham, in 1799, bidden to "remember Min-

they come into competition with a system in turn. The decree of the gods was written that which the manufacturer seeks first to ascertain she should leave her bones in the bed of the the wants of his customer, and, linving ascer. Nile, among all the countless wrecks of ancient and modern graft-Ptolomean callavs an Without mentioning the name of this journal. Nublan " hughas" -which must fill the hidden Mr. Lowther, is good enough to quote with slime of the "Father of Waters." But of this solution of the question, a passage from a leading know nothing, and never was any party more 6th of August, 1886. We then said that " It is when we went finally on hoard and settled dow "not to the Government and its agents that our for a start, the red easign of England flattering

up by Government; it was built up by the the very "cream of the cream" of travelling cutorprise, the energy, the watchfulness, the with a good duhabassh, a wall filled company self-denial, the laborious efforts of individuals; of beliday makers, and a rightly chosen cres Moreover, if it was built up by these, by these Our ship, though old, was stanch and comfort-"it must be sustained.". We still think that these able ; our party perfect in harmony and number, are almost the last words which can be said upon and the hands won daily more and more our pathe subject to which they refer; and that the up. tience and attachment, as we learned to put up peals to the Government, which are made from with their absurd little foibles and to make the time to time, are but repetitions of the waggoner's most of their simple virtues They would call upon Hercules. What is wanted is that the "say the thing which is not" with the most persons most concorned should put their own reckless inaccuracy and the wildest imaginashoulders to the wheel. It may possibly be true | tiveness, and would invent the most humorously that German officials do more to help their coun. false and flagitious excuses to linger at a pleatrymen than English ones, instructions notwith. | sant spot and cause our social arrangements to standing, or even that the instructions them. At in with their own, for they had friends at selves are intended to be appealed to rather every station. But as we were in no work hun to be acted upon. But, even if this harry their stratagems suited our idle programbe so, it is equally true, and infinitely me well and very quickly we all got on together more important, that the German trader quite perfectly. They would do anything and takes care to be represented by travellers everything at last for the Sitt and Sittlana, and who have acquired the language of the country since my Turkish decorations gave me the status to which they are sent, and who thus possess fa- of a Pasha, they were full of the measury re-

stances, sends what he thinks the foreigner especial favour; a strong, good-tempered Arab modities. The German, on the other hand, called "Moya;" a one-eyed Egyption suiter. with which he desires to deal: carefully in. | was dubbed "Scarlet Hever; " the boy. Mustapquires what goods are in domand there ha; and Ali, the body servant. There came, and, if he improves upon these, does not moreover, a black kitten on board, called

and which are perhaps just enough better than | that indispensable factor in a happy water questions seem to be involved—energy and brilliancy of sky, and pleasantness of tempera, cans, and vast flocks of bine pigeons streak or shore the majority of us must have nerished dexibility. The English have for so long a time ture, a little too much cooled, perhaps, onch ly is gone for ever, and that even pre-eminence are boyond all description levely and inexhaus. the gathering cloudlets of the early evening in swimming more than comic scotions at Marican only be maintained by diligent study of the tible in combination of tonder and bequalful in soft masses of silver and gold and violet. borough, which these officials would have to withdraw and silvery gray, painting the west, the Rois crambling bank of the river bumbles in large possessed. We were in an uninhabited from their more obvious daties. blackness of was on his knees and nose saying his evening fat masses of black soil with lond splash into -a naked, unvisited desert six miles from the trade should serve as a stunder to praytion; brayer toward Mecca, and half the crew would be and if thus regarded it may hereafter be looked | cooking the last most, while the other half trameback upon as having given a fresh impotus to od the broken bank with the tow-rope over their commerce, and as having led the way to more brown shoulders, singing some song of the Nile | driven into the bank and ropes made fast to them sands proved even a loyous one. The hot

it is no kindness to manufacturors to encourage little startling at first. Our men like all the the village new come down lonfers to chat and Arnold while the old Sheik campaign, especially at Fonteney, where they Dany Farm Co. on the subject of the assistance which might them to wait for a report which would not said other sailors of the river, would at any moment question, together with women in long dark blue lent his pipe to myself and my son, and caused strip stark taked to plungs in the river or to gowns, veiled and barefooted, bearing vessels of provision of parched pulse and melted buthandle the tow, and the best way for those who milk grain fruits, and tobacco leaves. The sky ter to be served to us. The fellaheen f objected or endeavoured in vain to make their has lost the sun abd the ned into accurlain of heaven- had caught and disputched up and down the wear drawers was to regard their brown skin as ly glory through which the first stars twinklo. Fiver banks with messages of our luckless nlight The improprieties of Arab talk were, however, lively and wonderful colours of the "afterglow," and after a long day in the Egyptian buts a It is useful as an educational experience to or when hauling on the warps are mostly as in- upon his little carpet by our side. The gaffar, shelter of the dahabeents at that town. Bound to

people, merchants, Arabs, Turkish officials soldi- ing directions for the course, and his next in meditation of resource which occupied my mind.

with information, could not assume the func. the sun. Sheep and eggs and fruit could be posit therein two or three bodies at most. My part in that miserable instant was to see in the Sandbag Battery, and suddenly found weather to Hongkong.

sacrifice of the position which in the interests rugs books and drawing materials were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the by a Russian column. Understall were not fall fated wanderings completed, should come waist and soise her welst, striking out for the basis of the completed wasterness. for the four weeks ending 28th April 1892;— was of the first importance for them to main. Arnold was an accomplished artist and the pure to the bull, upon which sine. A sargeaut who carvived that desthe morress made with the various works at opinion which he appears to hold, although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although make everybody wish to preserve some introor sir and although the control of the sallow had although the sallow It is rather implied in his letter than ex. less faithful in encounted to them. We agreed to 1,000 years ago, symbolise the happy future of from the water, and these men, in obedience to Russians, without any sentent, and it's the Having been collect to Singapore on business pressed, that British traders, generally speak. Take the Captoin and the crew already attached the justified my call, draw Lady Arnold upon the keel. I greatest miracle in the world how we ever cause connected with the Syndicate, I cleaned up the ing. have of late years lost something of the to theship aponthis guarantee of recommendatory and the patient minutes are gone-some to could not lift myself up there, being too ox- out again. The last words we have from Sir battery and brought down with me the gold to energy with which they once pushed their letters from previous employers, and highly done, with me the gold to energy with which they once pushed their letters from previous employers, and highly done, with me the gold to business transactions into every part of the the city a skilful Syrian cook, very clever at artists, for there is quite a large trade done to my son, an excellent swimmer, in the river The 20th is said to be the only regiment that Naganavi . 1 bell Rank on the 4th inst, and arrived in globe, and that they are suffering from a rivalvy curries, and a bright, serviceable young body day in Nile enummy dust; for lovelizing and for mean me salling to his sister. I exclaimed marched into Savastopol with bands playing and shanghad shanghad a bright, serviceable young body day in Nile enummy dust; for lovelizing and for mean me salling to his sister. I exclaimed marched into Savastopol with bands playing and shanghad shanghad a bright, serviceable young body day in Nile enummy dust; for lovelizing and for mean me salling to his sister. Singapore on the 9th, dolivering the gold to the in which their competitors are defeating them servent named Ali, as well as a protty Egyptian a special brown tinh much supposed by eil despairingly; "She is dving under the daha-Secretary he same day. Having finished the by the simple expedient of taking greater pains. boy realed Mustaphu. The Captain, or Role, painters. Yet the significance of these autique, beenh!" But as soon as I found strength to preserved by the simple expedient of taking greater pains. boy realed Mustaphu. The Captain, or Role, painters. Yet the significance of these autique, beenh!" But as soon as I found strength to preserved by the simple expedient of taking greater pains. business that called me to Singapore, I left Mr. Lowther quotes from Mr. O'Conor to whose was a charing old navigator, whom we soon grow rock-hewn graves it the same of the s

> You were born in the Egypt bushill wat house: Of playitues to some, as we of our morrows, O.! wise little maid of the Delia! cicantic cartests, with in ronomical and goodo-

tombs. to shoot haves and pain doves, and to get 'Polaces insfership' the old gentleman plain with Borgoyne at Sacatoga in 1771, when the Haiphing become processory exercise; and what with the strong our their Bolinco. sedate advance anit well the genius of the land and bis pocket Lady Arnold's little, one-bladed pon- new called the "Lancashire Fusiliors," apparent. the atmosphere of peace and philosophy which knife, truly a poor affair for such a crisis. It is the properly constituted mind hered upon that manife with the tiny blade, while the westehed. But has lately been changed Barometer 19992 marvellous and delightful river. You can read or sketch or write sitting on the upper deck under the strand of the alriped awning, with the pretty water wagtails of the Nile running about between your feet, and the selection of the selection of

skelter they rush for the boat, leap and scrumble on board, hoist the buye leteen sail, and away the little ship buzzes once more, churning the Nile into cream below her square bows. But you must never allow the mainshort to be made fast. A trusted sailor must constantly squab on the deck holding that in his hands, with a half hitch only round the cleat, and at the moment when the belmaman cries "Khalis!" (" Loosen!") he must let the sheet run. Otherwise the dahabesalt will surely capsize. was very particular and careful indeed upon this point, being an old yachtsman, and it was not from any neglect as to main about that our actastrophe, soon to be related, befol.

In the delicious afternoon, as the sun sinks

that current which is always enting at the bearest village with only one pair of slippers Egypt Mat it has created The ship is laid alongside the shore, pegs are living, and the laborious, nearth across. stem and stern; a plank is cast from the deck to sun soon dried our clothes, and with limping.

a real dress, of which, indeed, it gives the idea. Opposite the subset the east is lighted with the found American and English friends at Girgeh. veiled to most cars, and the river songs at night The old Captain is finishing his evening prayer best came down and felched us to the friendly, the official watchman, with long staff and head less was the kindness we received; lavish the It is the golden dream of travelling, I say, to coth, comes down and sits on the bank to take help proffered in the shape of garments, dresses, with a riew of showing precisely what kinds of incidents of life, and for that last and inesitable glide along day after day upon that antique was charge of the safety of the ship. Dinner and shows, etc., and truly dire was our need, for of ter channel between the two strips of brilliant the divinely placed Egyptian night ensue; and that well-stored Bedown and the \$1.500 or \$2.000 be desired. At that time Lord Rossbery was of course, the fresh beginning does really fertility which mark the range of the yearly in. while the Arab crew dance and beat their drums in ready cash our board her only about seventy Foreign Secret cy; and Mr. Green neting arrive. Once in the course of holiday wander; undation which creates regpt, in the light of the paper lanterns, and you smoke pagers remained in my saturated pocket, when under his instructions, summarized the whole tugs it happened to me to come as near to florish. Justly has the old chronicler flerodotus said that the long narghilch and up the perfectly prepar- I turned them out that night.

wind fell from the desert ledge high overhead had in such emergencies. I felt no fear and had

tions of agents or touters for them without [procured as we sailed enlong. Guns, clothes, against such time as their respective souls in wife at my side, to fling one arm round her | himself, with a handful of the 20th, out off universal conviction that man's real existence is night dress, having escaped by coolness and good Peninsular War. Thorn are three volumes of Victoria Peak....

inst. Onling to the persons mature of the top cloth manufacturer the expediency of obtaining a since the manufacturer than the manufacturer the expediency of obtaining a since the manufacturer the expediency of obtaining a since the manufacturer than the m and there was a chance to cave at least the ladies | pages. The 20th as firmly declined to mutilate You were nover and with our new-fashioned sorrows; before she should fill and founder. I should to their books. The dispute became violent, and Windivestock You were sure, when your playtimes on earth ran out. the men, therefore, to cease their ridioulous la- was referred to H.E.H. the Commander in Tokio

> tient meanings, constructed to preserve the dead of thom abjectly asoless and neveloss. Allini old colour. But there is strong historical Hongkong....... body of the King, antil his Majesty's couldness follow the felicon, va Rei . Loried ("Give me the little avidence against the first part of this tradition, Victoria Poek.... boat of it for a new earthly existence; boat "), for we had a dingey foring astern which and, unfortunately, the regimental history dis. Boat ") for we had a dingey foring astern which and, unfortunately, the regimental history dis. Macro Macro Building to explore had not capsis down one only hope. Power of the rest of the story. The 20th were Heiling. rent and the slow pace of these broad-beamed, flat holding the skiff, the knot of which was far un. Rather than let the colours fall into the Manile bottomed Nile boots, it is not very much pro: der water, so that to get the little host we must hands of the enemy, the 20th made a pile and Came S. Jamos twenty-five to forty-five miles may be taken as knife, a knife, " Leofled out impatiently, but render. The 20th in the Peninsula were comthe rate, and this absence of harry and this dally nobody produced one autil Julian drew from monty called the "Young Fusiliers!" "They are the seleme Rais ascending now and again to say after sternly checking an egotistical desire of is prayers toward Mecon, at noon, or at the some of my Arabs to take the first seats on her "Azan," which is our "4 o'clock tea." The crow | -by knocking them overboard again—the two mess in cross bolts, and wore their swords, the alone would be a perpetually interesting study to Indies, three of my best sailors, the boy Mus. only exception being an officer whose stature and a close observer; ours certainly preved so, est tapha, and that sick Arab to whom we were sword were so gigantic as to be inconvenient to pecially when they found out that we liked them giving a passage, with Ali, were all put in, and his neighbours, and who was allowed to hang his to dance and be happy in their own way. If as glad I was to thrust them safely off from the weapon behind him. No one seems to know the often happens there is no wind, overboard go ship, tossing into the host some of the floating origin of this, nor of their old toust, "The Cas. balf a dozen of too brown "hards," rolling up pars. Of course they all cried to us myself tom of the Regiment," which was abolished ut their blu; coats to their armpits, and the tow and my son-to come, but that was inadmissible. rope is rigged and hanled for hours and hours. Had we gone the others would have justly Should a lively puff of breeze arise, helter- wished to escape also, and the felucon must then man in the regiment; but this, too, has disaphave been awamped.

Glad indeed we were to see them clear from the wreck and pall out of the broken water, while First of June," when the regiment fought under the hapless Bedowin, relieved of the weight of Lord Howe, and their quickstep is the niarelicom. eight persons, now fosted a little higher in the posedforthom by Princess Augusta in 1791. They water, on her side, and might continue to float had black drammers, and claim the right, often until we touched one or other shore. To cut a disputed, to march through London with drains sad tale short; she did continue to float down beating and colours flying. They were a star stream with us for some two miles, finally touch. ing land at a sand point, where we all sprang off this ornament that when Lord Hill ordered its and tried to hold her with a rope around a palm- removal, officers and men offered to pay for it tree stump. But the rope broke, the hull now themselves, if they might be allowed to retain it. almost full of water, whirled madly away and sank out of sight in a deep bend of the Nile.

I had got my poor Egyptians well in hand pouches. They have many nicknames, "The adapts his exports to the habits of the country known as Hassau, who were s red lion cloth and unarer the western horizon, casting long shadows long before this time, aided by the elequent from the pairs stems, the river grows more and scorn which the Reis expressed for their conmore outmining. The northwind, which offtimes | duct, and by the good example set them by my blowshard and even cold in the forencon, is lulled. son, who had behaved throughout, of course like of the American War. Wellington was very fond The chief work of the "shadoufs"—the water a true English lad, admirably. They were wheels - is done, and their shrill creaking to touchingly grateful to be still alive, especially offered goods of a kind which they like, this point was overrolled. As for the weather, longer grieves so much the sent we car. The the bad swimmers, and bitterly ashamed of such buffalous, released from the slow toil turning childish despuir as they had exhibited. But, their own to please by offering manifest advant. trip, there was no need to be anxious about the pole, go homeward with the goats and chick- truly, the fix was ugly enough at its worst, and ages in some easily comprehended respect. Two it. The Egyptian winter is splendid for steady | ens. Long lines of wild greese, flamingons, peli- although the best swimmers might have got to cloud the sky, now gradually assuming to the feluces had not been freed and the wreck possessed something so much like a monopoly of morning when the north wind blows. But this word its western border a lovely tint, that of lightened sufficiently to float a little longer, as many of the great markets of the world that it is breeze falls as the sun draws westward, and turquois green - one more decidedly green than it did. I was grateful for having bouted every difficult for them to understand that this monopo, evening the sunsets on the Nile | that—a woritable can di Nil colour, upon which day at Oxford, and glad that Julian had studied

wants of consumers and by showing that they tints. Night after night the ancient god Ra The cook begins to be busy with his chargoal By and by Sellm and " the Buffalo " brought can both understand and supply these wants sank to his couch in robes of more glorious fires and the Arab erew gets ready the mooring the boat over to us, and Julian and I rejoined better than their rivals. If they can do this, magnificence than we had before seen, so ropes and pins. Down drops the last faint the unhappy ladies, who supposed themselves to and if they will take the pains to bring the that the hour of his declination and departure breeze, some of them must plunge have lost sight of us forever. The Reis was to fact home to those whom it concerns, their was a regular rendezrous on the upper deck overboard again and draw the dahabeesh march his men up the left bank to Girtrade will be in undergoe; but if it requires for us all, and while Lady Arnold would suck to her borth for the night under the gels. We lauded on the right bank to to be proposed up by the effects of Ministers to fix some of the divine blendings of gold pulms of the village. As we pull and pole the find our forlors castaways sitting under and Consuls it can scarculy be worth the time and crimson, amber and purple, turquois graon shuggish vessel to her rating place the ever a red cook drying what garments they

among the party. But it was sweet to be still.

discussion in an excellent despatch, which ing suddenly with the business of earthly "Egept is the gift of the Nile." Exactly so ed coffee, your wish is that the addient and We all found hospitable asylum, and my son. showed, in the first place, that British diplo. existence as a man could well come and yet finally much of the desert valley lying between the yellow majestic stream, would ran forever and forever indeed, completed his voyage to the second cataunder rguilly speaking, were doing escape alive, and, as the story has some pictures. sunbarned hills as the wave of the life-giving from the southward in the same tranquit man-racts, wearing the clothes of the late Lord stream can touch by flood or artificial irrigation | ner. and that you could go on stemming it fer. Henry Lennor and of a Boston friend. I re. properly he expected from them; and in the We had arranged to sail up the Nile in a it transforms as if by magic from a waste to a lever and forever in the same daily and delight. turned to Coiro in the shoes of a kind Dutch gentleman and in an Arab dress, my wife and change in the character, of their activity even to the second. It is now about seven years is to the earth until many a stroll has been taken. We had sailed and tracked the Nile thus for my daughter also wearing borrowed plames. might be sitended by very objectionable con- ago since we set forth on that memorable along those emerald strips of barby and twenty-one days, each day adding to the agree. That night the lady doctors on board the dahasequences Lord Resebery, nevert closs; desired journey, the party consisting of Lady Arnold, mitlet fields and these long, waving able experiences and growing contentments of been Rackel were for some time puzzled by a to reserve from the chambers of commerce practi- my second sou, Julian, my only daughter, togo groves of palm trees which conbroider the Nile | the voyage and increasing our friendship with | broad black mark on my wife's wrist. Suddenly cal suggestions on every part of the question; they with the writer of this. The climate of all the way from Cairo to the way from C and promised that it should continue to receive | Cairo is delightful in winter, and it was no and indeed, much higher. In a thousand spots | and the dear old Reis. Lady Arnold had her in the water at that abominable and hope-

oign office was such as to impress upon Minister's the Egyptian capital while the necessary negotia- other barled in barren sands. The line is as Achmet had come to regard her with deep One little incident I must append to the dismal and Consuls that any legitimate efforts which tions and arrangements were being made for our sharp between the fortility as loyalty, though they could exchange no words recital, because it reflects well upon Arab politethiny might-beable to make for the promotion of river trip. We lodged at the pleasant Hotel du between the water and the bank; in truth, the of conversation. My son Julian, an enthu. ne's, and I am sorry to have to record the ili betrade would be viewed with satisfaction at home; Nil in the "Muski," where the daily life of Caire mid-river itself is accompanied throughout its sissic sportsman, had shot much game for haviour of our nice Egyptian crew. But at the and the remaining the manufacture and indifference to flows up and down the lively because the men, and though course by these two sister streams of eternal the men, and my daughter had made special instant when the Bedouin was reeling to her fate. trade queritions, if it may be assumed that such in the city has become wofully altered since, I re- fecundity, and Egypt is that ever-gleaming and devoted adherents of Ali, the boy, as well the old Reis, "Aunt Mary," approached Lady difference existed in some quarters, would be dim- member the Esbekich covered with Arab coffee ribbon of blue with green edges, new witening, as of Mustapha and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and the control with Arab coffee ribbon of blue with green edges, new witening, as of Mustapha and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and the control with green edges, new witening, as of Mustapha and a sick Egyptian to whom Arable and a sick Egyp inished by the instructions then given. After this houses and none of the new Frenchified build now diminishing, which meanders, always bright we had given a passage. The black cat had been lips, kissed it, and then drew his "kefish" over the matter appears to have follow somewhat into lings defacing the Maidan; still Cairo, especially and glad, in the heart of the hot desert, from transferred to a passing grain boat troubled with his eyes to die. It was his supreme and grate-I rats, and all seemed fair and favourable. But ful farewell! Not even in the moment of death last year by complaints made by the Chamber | turn to the right or left hand in any one of the It is a supreme pleasure, I repeat, to make | now we were doomed to restize the truth of that | would this true Arab gentleman fail in courtesy. of Commerce at Hongkong, and supported by parrow, cool, silent lanes will always take you your way day after day up the grand old river Arabic word, wason! - i.e.: "it will come to an especially, since, in his idea, the kind "Sitti the Chienber at Amoy, as to the innotion of Sir at a plunge, as it were, into the scenery of the in a well found Nile boat with pleasant company | and very nearly indeed, as will be seen, did was going, as an unbeliever—not to Paradiso. John Walsham, then Minister at Peking, with "Arabian Nights," where you shall meet one and all those nineteen Egyptians attend. like himself-but "el-ewhere." It was the me the ugly business, and I am glad to finish Isonta Greek diver afterward to the wreck, but

EDWIN ARNOLD.

REGIMENTAL TRADITIONS.

The 20th Regiment, once known as "The band, and was throwing the bight of a rope to since maddened many a charge. At Krab. considerable sea.

this kind, and very difficult to disprove them, against the corrent by a party of the sailors. grout group of pyramids, but now and again the wife seizing my coat, from behind to keep me der," the 20th drove the enemy out of en-Colonel Howard Vincent does not allege any | She was well provided with all needful furni- hills on the eastern side show ranges of square, from going overboard, when the ship seemed trenchments, and were thanked by Sir Ralph | instance of neglect on the part of any English ture, and our dragomen, who bore the name of black holes hewn in the limestone or granite, to rear up and plange, and the next moment we Abercromble for their services. At Inkerman, 6th May, had fine weather with S.W. winds; official, nor does be bring forward any instance Abraham, given by Arabs to Khalil, meaning which are entrances to ancient tombs, and where were all harled pell-mell into the river, the hall for the first time after forty years, the 20th de- one day before arrival very strong constant N.E. one. Very similar statements were made in audeserved, set to work to provision her for the land to examine some of them. Then you will apon the water. Gear, poultry coops, ours, cord. starnation of the Rassians, who, according to a land swell. 1886, and it was then clearly shown that the ac- trip. Besides all sorts of timed and canned perceive—climbing from the palm grove to the lage, sailors, water jave, everything and everybody witness, and never before heard such a frightstructions, for that such officials, while they were the bread for the Arab crew, which bread they mortal life of the words. Die Hards, remember Albu, breeze and fine weather to Analy. From Amoy Traits are taken in any state of the weather, expected from time to time to time to time to furnish mann- chopped into small pieces and spread for two not have out away the solid rocks so patiently and horror of calamity that it gives me a thrill, here!" During the engagement, Assistant moderate N.E. wind and fine weather to Swatow, and all Permane at Processes, are executed on facturers and importers of their own nationality whole days upon the upper deck to dry in into smooth, vast imperialished his hospital From Swatow fresh N.E. broeze and cloudy Moderate Terms.

The pyramids themselves are mighty witnesses loss tot as my smart Egyptians had become cording to an officer of the 20th, the Mindon Foochew the same firm belief, being, as they were, They wept, they tore their clothes, they threw rose on the colour of the 1st bettelion, was work. Among Amo their turbans into the waves. They were most od by Quoon Anne, and transferred from the Swatow 20.05

For many years the 20th Regiment dired at

Dayapur by an officer in temporary command. They had a spuif-box, always held by the upliest peared. "Hearts of Oak" was always played before parades, to examinemorate the "Glorious on their ponches, and were so much attached to Lord Hill releated, but the War Office in later days has aften attacked it, and now it is worn on the flap of the valise, and small stars are on the Ever-sworded." "the Old and Bold," the "Guards of the Line," and the "Vein-openers;" this last from their having taken part in the first skirm ish of them, which is not to be wondered at consider. ing how well they fought under him in the Poninsula. ("The 29th landed three years ago, and have been distinguished in every notion that has been fought since that period,"—General Orders [811.] On one occasion, when be could make no impression on the French opposed to him, he exclaimed, "I really must set the 29th at them." Sir James Simpson, an officer of the 29th, was supposed to be the original in the well-known story in " Harry Lorroquer," " A votre courage, Anglais!" though the Hagineers also claim this for a here of their owe, Sir Charles Felix Smith. The characters in "Caleb Balderston." were also taken from this regiment.

It must seem strange that the first exploit of the Black Watch which has been recorded in history was a multiply; but such is the case. I 1743; four yours after their formation us a rogiment, they were marched into England, under orders for F anders. An idea prevailed amongst the men that they were to be sout to the Wash Indies, their defeated for their led climate. Scotlandin a body. Overtaken dhay entranched themselves, and for some time refused to surrouter. Three ringleaders were shot, and the remainder deafted into other regiments. This did not prevent the rest of the Black Watch from winging great modif during the Elaudors | Unnickshank & Co.... were cheered " cross by the Dake for Cumberhand in person, they having that, the honour to be first in the front ranks, and last in the rear on that memorable day." At Alexandria, in 1801. the Black Watch greatly distinguished the reselves, capturing the standard of the French | H. H. L. Tranguays. "Invincible Legion," which was lost in a later. Hougkong Ice........ charge, but re-taken by a private of the Minorca H. & K. What & G. Regiment, and placed in the Chapel Royal, H. Steam Laundry. Whitehall. They received the thanks of the Hongkong Rope Highland Society, who, some years later, pre H. & W. Dock...... sented them with a silver vaso. The Black Watch and the 92nd Highlanders were long remembered at Reussula, where they were quartered before the battle of Waterlook. They kent shou for their bosts, minded the children, and were aff etionately styled " Les petits Ecossais." -Cornhill Mayasine.

Europa and North America, writes Dr. Felix . Oswald in a paper on " the frost cure have for vears recorded the progress of a phenomenon which one individual calls the "Siberm mivetery" -the northward exodus of the more onterprising elements of population. During the last 2.0.00 years the centres of civilization have mored at least 800 miles neuror the poles; the halance of political and intellectual power has been transferred from Rome and Athens to Berlin, Landon, St. Petersburg, Boston and New York. Within the limits of our own National territory a similar current is setting toward the fregen table-lands of our Northern border. The overpopulation of the sunnier latitudes cannot explain the enigma, for there is more albow-room in the Elysian terrace lands of the southern Alleghanies than on many bleak prairies of the far North-West. The key of the mystery may be found in the stimulating influence of low temperature. Frost is an autidote, and greatly modifies the penalties of our manifold sins against Nature's bealth laws. It enables gluttons to dig-st greasy-made lishes; it helps topers to survive excesses that would kill a native of the tropics in a few weeks. It also counteracts the obronic indelence of exhausted constitutions. The remarkable results the mountain treatment prescribed by American physicians as a last resource in consumption have been variously ascribed cold air. Pulmonary diseases decrease with every mile northward from the factory districts of the English border to the pastoral retives of Benegambia, where indoor work is almost; Old (5 years) Malwa 3540 the "rerm theory of disease." In a modified form the motto of a Hot Springs sanifarium-"Warmth is life; cold is death"-may become the keystone-principle of sanitary philosophy.

REPORTS. The British steamer Benglos, from Saigon

Warmth is life; cold, even moderate, is death-

not to man-but to myriads of disease germs far

more sensitive to changes of temperature.

The British steamer Pembrokeshire, from

The Dutch stermer Borneo, from Singapore

of undue activity on the part of a German "the Friend of God"-an appellation wholly these are numerous or famous you will probably rolling right over and the big sail lying flat livered their old "Minden yell"—to the com- wind with heavy showers of rain, high N.E. sea tion attributed to the Germans, if really taken by goods and groceries there were coops tall of breast of the yellow crag -what a faith those and with one or two exceptions, were violently flung ful noise. At the same time, Captain Stanley The British steamer Thales, from Taiwanfoo Opel them, was in distinct opposition to their in- tarkeys and chicken to put on board, slong with cient Egyptians of the Pharachs had in the im- forth from the dahabeeah into the turbulent river was reminding the 57th of their hand Swatow 12th, had S.W. Instantanes and chicken to put on board, slong with cient Egyptians of the Pharachs had in the im-

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Köhler, will be despatched for the (Subject to Auteration). AND LUGGAGE. Commander, will sail on or about SATURDAY, the 21st inst, instead of as pre- N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH above Port TO-DAY, the 14th inst., at Neon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BATAVIA SIEMSSEN & Co. For Freight or Passage, apply to BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL A STEAMER Hongkong, 12th May, 1892. PLACES IN RUSSIA. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., A STEAMER ON SUNDAY, the 29th day of May, 1892, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship STEAM TO SHANGHAI. Hongkong, 14th May, 1892. Saturday ... THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship BAYERN," Cautain H. Engelbart, with "BRINDISI."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALL-MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. ING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till 5 P.M. on NOTICE. the 27th May, Cargo will be received on Board until I P.M., Specie and Parcels until 10 A.M. STEAM FOR on the 28th May: (Parcels are not to be sent SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO on Board; they must be left at the Agency's LOMBO, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, Office). Contents and Value of Packages are CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK

and carries a Dootor and Stewarders. SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA. For further Particulars, apply to MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA; Hongkong, 7th May, 1892. LONDON. HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX ON WEDNESDAY, the 18th May, 1892, OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMat Noon, the Company's Steamship "MELBOURNE," Commandant Vimont, with Mails. Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED MEXICO CENTRAL AND SOUTH

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in trausit through Marseilles for the principal Places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING Captain Cormack, will be despatched as above Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 17th May. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, TIA OVER-

Captain E. Street, will leave for the above Place

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FOR-SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND

CALCUTTA.

"KUTSANG."

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CHINA THURSDAY, June 2

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FIHE U. S. Mail Steamer" CHINA" will be

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Hongkong, 11th May, 1892

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent,

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Superintendent.

TO DAY, the 14th inst., at Noon.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1892.

"I'HE Company's Steamship

Hongkong, 9th May, 18-2.

TO-DAY, the 14th just, at NOON.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1892.

Hongkong, 7th May, 1892. CANADIAN PACIFIC BAILWAY CO.'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE CHINA AND JAPAN. CITY OF RIODE JANEIRO ... TUESDAY, July 19 PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG, 1892.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Empress of Japan... Saturday .. 28th May. EMPRESS OF CHINA ... Saturday .. 18th J no. EXPRESS OF INDIA ... Saturday .. 9th July. THE R. AL. S.

"EMPRESS OF JAPAN."
Lieut. G. A Lee: R.N.B., Commander, sailing at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 28th MAY, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOU-VER, VIA SHANGHAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA. RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars).

FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. St. Paul, Minn, Minnespolis, Minn. 292 90 Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault. New Westminster, B.C. Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoms. Wash Portland, Ore., San Francisco. Sauff, Calgarry, Alba 255 383 447 Winnipeg, Man To Minusapolis, St. Paul. 285 428 499 Duluth, Mino Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, St. Louis, Mo 295 443 517 Milwaukee, Wis Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati. Cleveland, Columbus, O Hamilton, London, Toronto, Ont......Buffalo, Niagara Falls., N.Y. Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Mon. treal, Quebec, Que. New York, Albany, Troy,

Rochaster, N.Y. Pittsburg, Pa. Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass., Portland, Me. Helifax, N.S., St. John, N.B. Liverpool and London via Li-325 575 650 verpool Paris, via Liverpool and London Havre, via Liverpool Bremen. 2nd class steamer and 1st class on rail, and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steerage Fares address in full; and same will be received at the and Rates to other places, quoted on application. Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of | The Steamers call at Victoria to land and embark Passengers. Return Tickets.—Time limit for prepaid reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan turn ticket is reckoned from date of issue to (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed date of re-embarking at Vancouver. a discount of 10 per cent. from Beturn Fare. - Through Passage Tickets granted to England, FIN NCE COMPANY, LIMITED. To is allowance does not apply to through fares France, and Germany by all Trans-Atlantic lines giving. 29th April. 18:2. [796] from China and Japan to Europe. of steamers. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports,
to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European

of the United States, via Overland Railway, to officials in service of China or Japan, and to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerera, and to ports Government officials. in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Ports, and to Canadian and United States Points. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages | Consular Invoices of Goods for United Port and will have quick despatch. will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same States Points should be in quadruplicate; and day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. BROWN, Assistant General Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des. Freight and Passenger Agent, C. P. R., Van-1019 tined to points beyond San Francisco in the conver B.C. United States, should be sent to the Company's PARCELS must be sent to the Company's FIHE 3/3 L. I.I. American Ship Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. Freight apply to the Agency of the Company, Freight, apply to No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

E. HOLLOWAY, " General Agent. Hongkong, 6th May, 1892.

Detroit, Mich 304.95 302.75 landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Go-225 338 394 Pittsburg, Penn. 810.25 307.00 Niagara Falls, N.Y. Buffalo, N.Y. 311.00 308.50 Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md. 317,00 311,75 Boston, Mass Portland, Maine 327.25 317.00 All the above Rates are m Mexican Dollars. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European 805 458 534 officials in service of China and Japan, and Government officials and their families.

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a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to company's Office until Five P.M. the day prerious to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs,

Ban Francisco. For further information as to Freight Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Contral. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent. Hongkong, 29th April, 1892. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 A.J.L. American Ship "WILLIAM H. SMITH." Brown, Master, will load here for the above

For Freight, apply to

For Freight apily to

Hongkong, 80th April, 1892,

REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1892. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. Collector of Customs at San Francisco. on the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage and For further information as to Passage and Brey, Master, will load here for the above port, and will have quie z despatch.

SHEWAN & Co.

Captain C. H. S. Tocque, R.N.R., will leave for the above Places on WEDNESOAY, the 18th

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. Captain J. B. Macmillan, will be despatched for

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,

PHRA NANG...... | sturday..... | May 21st. Saturday June 11th Saturday ... July 2nd.

Saturday July 23rd. Aug. 13th A STEAMER..... Saturday.... Sept. 3rd AND THEREAFTER THE PERMANENT SER-VICE OF THE COMPANY'S REGULAR STEAMERS. THE Steamship Captain W. H. Watton, sailing at Noon, or

SATURDAY, the 21st MAY, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA VIA KOBE and YOKOHAYA. Through Bills of Lading issued to Jupan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copymust be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The General Agent, Northern Pacific Rail. road, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address

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marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to For further information as to Passage or Freight apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 14th May, 1892.

FOR NEW YORK. TILE 3/3 A. II. American Ship "STERLING." BELGIO TUESDAY June 14 Goodwin, Master, will load here and will have OCEANICJuly 7 quick despatch. For Freight apply to MINHE Steamship "GAELIC" will be die REUTEB. BRÖCKELMANN & CO. patched for SAN FRANCISCO. via YOKOHAMA, on SATURDAY MAY 27 st. at Hongkong, 30th April, 1892. ONE P.M., Connection being made at Yokohuma

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. FOR BAN FRANCISCO. 9"HE S/3 A. I.I. American Ship "CHARMER." shortly due here, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 3rd May, 1892. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION litates Reference. COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE TIHE Company's Steamship

KUTSANG " having arrived from the above ports, Consignees Milwankee, Wis 299.50 295.00 Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 9th May, 1892. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "STRATHLEVEN,"

FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE. NEW PLAN OF HANOL. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in- PLAN OF MANILA formed that all Goods with the exception PLAN OF SINGAPORE TOWN AND ENVIRONS to of Kerosine Oil are being landed at their risk PLAN OF SINGAPORE TOWN AND ENVIRONS into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon | PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may A Conounce Plate of the House Flags of

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining All claims against the Steamer must be pro- tains this year 38 pages more than fast. sented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th inst, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th inst at 3 P.M.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 12th May, 1892. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES S.S. "BAYERN."

Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown BANGKOK Messrs. Resusny & Co. Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery SINGAPORE Mesers. Kelly & Walch may be obtained. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless Colombo Messrs. A. M. & J. Ferguson notice to the contrary be given before NOON, CALCUTTA Messrs. W. Newman & Co. TO-DAY, the 10th inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods MELBOUENE ... Messre. Gordon & Gotch have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain. BRISHAND Messrs. Gordon & Gotob

[792] ject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be LONDON examined on MONDAY, the 16th inst, at 4 P.M. LONDON All Claims must reach as before the 18th PARIS instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 10th May, 1892.

INTIMATION NOW READY.

MARONICLE AND TRECTORY CHINA, JAPAN, STRAITS, &c., &c.

With which is incorporated THE CHINA DIRECTORY. This is the THIRTIETH ANNUAL ISSUE.

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TREATIES WITH JAPAN-Great Britain, 1858. United States Extradition Trenty, 1886 Mexico, 1889. TREATIES WITH COREA TREATTES WITH SIAM CUSTOMS TARIFFS.

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THE BORNEO STATES AND LABUAN. day before. THE COLONY OF COCHIN-CHINA. ANNAM AND TONKIN. SIAM:

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The CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY, alundelivered after the 18th inst. will be subject though printed in smaller type than formerly and condensed in every possible manner, con-It is published in two forms, Royal Octavo-Complete, with Maps and Plans, pp. 1136, 85. Directory only, pp. 784. \$3. It is published at the

Office of the Hongkony Daily Press, and can be had from HONGKONG Mr. W. Brewer HONGKONG..... Messes. Kelly & Walsh 1037 Hongkong Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. MACAO Mr. A. A. da Crus FORMOSAMr. J. G. Götz POOCHOW Mr. H. W. Churchill BHANGHAI Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co. SHANGHAL Messrs. Kelly & Walsh NORTHERN& | Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co. FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL. RIVER Ports | and Kelly & Walsh, Shanghai

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> Mr.L.H.Richy, 56, Rue Lafavotte GERMANY Mesars. Mahlan & Waldeschmid. Frankfort old. Exchange. New York Mr. T. B. Browne, 353-5, Canal St. Daily Press Office, January, 1892.

VESSELS EXPECTED THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Japan, with Indian mails, left Singapore on the 10th, and is due here on the

16th ingt. The M. steamer Saghalion, with the French mail of the 15th April, left Singapore on Tuesday, the 10th inst., at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 17th instant. This Packet bring replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on March 9th.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. steamer Empress of Japan, with

the Canadian mail, left Yokohama on the 12th.

and is due here on or about the 20th inst MERCHANT STEAMERS The P. & O. steamer Malacca left Shanghai on the 11th and is due here on the 14th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Againemnon left Singapore on the morning of the 11th, and may on expected here on or about the 17th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Nestor left Siggapore on the afternoon of the 12th, and is due tere on or about the 18th inst. The Glen Line steamer Glenorchy left Singapore on the afternoon of the 12th, and is due iore on the 18th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.40 o'clock Teams. Letter

Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. The Postal Guide for 1892, revised to date will he found in the Chronicle and Directory . XXII. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

WALL WILL GLOVE. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta.—Per Kutsang, to day, the 14th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Don Juan, today, the 14th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai, Kobs. and Yokohams.—Per Strathleven, to-day, the 14th inst., at 11,30 A.M. For Shanghai. - Per Ningpo, to-day, the 14th nst, at 11.30 A M. For Shan rhai - Por Brindisi, to-day, the 14th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Saigon .- Per Cicero, to-day, the 14th inst, at 3.30 p.m For Swatew and Bangkok. -- Per P. C. Klose, to-day, the 14th just., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon .- Per Rio to-day: the 14th inst.

at 4.30 P.M. For Bungkok -- Per Devaucongse, to-morrow, the 15th inst., at 8.30 A.M. For Swatow. Amov, and Taiwanfog .- Per Thates, to-morrow, the 15th inst., at 9.00 A.M. For Amoy and Manile. - Per Yiksang. on Monday, the 16th inst, at 11.30 A.M.

For Swatow and Shanghai .- Per Trisang, on fonday, the 16th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore and Mauritius. - Per Independent. on Tuesday, the 17th inst. at 7 30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay.—Per Teheran, on Wednesday, the 18th inst, at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore - Per Polyhymnia, on Wedneslay, the 18th inst., at 3 30 year. For Yokohama and San F ancisco Per Gaelic, on Saturday, the 21st inst. at 0.30 P. P.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Melbourne will despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 18th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom; Europe, and places beyond, vin Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calentia, Aden, Macritius, Egypt, Melta, and Gibraltar, The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Inregistered Letters containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

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prescribed by law. There are some plansing beliafs current among foreigners and which have been circulated in several recent books on Japan, to the effect that it is a common set of Milal devotion for a girl to volunteer unusked to devote herself to this life for a term of years in order to pay bor parouts' debts to extricate them from some other emberresement, or even to lay by a little morey for horself; and that this done, she ruturus to the bosom of her family as if nothing had happened, indeed with the added bale of this piety. All this is unmitirated rubbish. It is true that the majority of girls who enter the Yoshiwara are there that their! parents may have money in consequence, but there is not one case in hun rods where they are fluence of Confucianism has been to implant the duty of flial obedience as the primat and imperative virtue among the lower classes of Japan. A daughter yields absolute unquestioning ebedience to her parents under all sireumstances, Therefore when they say to her, "You will marry so-and-so," she does not dream of objecting. No more does she when they say to her. You must enter the Yeshiwara." Of course, when she is as ad at the department of police, "Do you take this step of your own free will ?" she replies, " I do," but the case is exactly parallel to the condemned criminal who walks up the steps of the gallows of his own free will. What they think of their own calling may be judged from the fact that when a girl leaves her kashi-zashiki to be murried, or to make any attempt to live differently, nothing would induce her to take with her a scrup of the clothing she has worn there, an article of the furniture of her room, and even one of her knick knacks from it, although she has paid for them all ten times over. She would regard their present elsewhere as a constant reproach and shame, 'It goes without saying that in so strange a commonity-among these "letus in the mud"-there is a great deal of romance, necessarily much more than among the similar classes of countries where vice comes chiefly from choice.

spring comes the pink glory of the cherry blos. England. Trade Mark-" BLOOD MIXTURE. soms; then in summer the purple of theiris; thon in autumn the hundred colours of the chrysanthe. mum, the national flower of Japan. When the new these a state visit. From each of the principal bouses half a dozen of the most boautiful are chosen and arrayed in gorgeous elethes, their lair dressed monuments by, combs three feet long stuck in from side to side and then they are mounted on black locanized. are mounted on black incquered gets or patters a foot high. When they are ready to start a score of servants accompany them, two or three precede them to put the growd oway; one holds the hand of each shogi on either side Rose itself. Imitated the world over, but equalled and solemnly and very slowly, a step a by none. minute, the wonderful procession moves, round the garden. Other processions issue from the is now a iversally preferred to the German kinds other houses and most and pass, and by and by the It is more fragrant, more lasting, and very much more culated not only in the Island but throughout whole main street of Yoshiwara is packed with an refreshing. Use none but Arkinson's, which is the open-monthed crowd, over whose heads the faces thest. Of all Dealura. of the processionists can be seen here and there. The walking on the tall geta is itself an accom-One foot is put out a little way and planted Reso," and address in full tightly grasping the strap which passes between the first and second toes and swurg round in front of the other and across it. The first is then lifted and placed on the other side of the second -exactly in fact like a shater doing the cutside edge. The Japaneso call it bachimonji ni arake -- figure-of-night walking. There are other enrious habits of this place Ogo is that the nocturned visitor has no direct dealing with the knahi-scaliks. Ho good to his

HOW THE JAPANESE TREAT THE Yoshlwarn, refreshes himself with tea and sweetments, selects a companion, if he is a stranger or chooses to do so, from a complete collection of There is a place in Japan of which foreigners photographic portraits, is accompanied to her have never been in a position to write much knahi-zashiki by a les house carvant, and profrom their own knowledge, for the police au perly introduct sa to speak; and it is again THIE Undersigned having been appointed thorities tell me that I am the first to whem op- at the ten hou that he receives his reckoning. A genta for the above Company, are proportunities for thorough investigation have been which is more than proportionate to the universal pared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURafforded. On the furthest north-eastern out- low scale of living in Japan. The other is that ANTE against FIRE to the extent of \$100,000. skirts of Tokyo, an hour's ride in a jinriksha in the lower class houses the inmates sit at night from anywhere, there is a large colony apart, in the front room on the ground floor, behind You enter it through a wide gate, on one side of wooden hars and plate glass, and the passors by which is a large weeping willow-" The Willow examine them critically at their leisure, like goods of Welcome" in Japanese-inside are long and in a shop window. The exhibition is berbarous wide shops and ten houses alternating; down they and offensive, and the authorities would be well middle is a beautiful flower garden six feet advised to suppress it immediately. Such is the across, whereas succession of flowers in full bloom great Yashiwars of Tokyo. You might walk the is maintained among pleasant fountains and stoots of this city of a million people for a year quaint stone lanterns. An orgio marvellously without seeing a sign of improper conduct—a constructed of shreds of bambon is sitting our a state of things probably without a parallel in the pared to ACCE T RISKS against FIRE tree stump. This is the Yoshiwara as you may civilized world.—California litustrated World.

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seemed to the authorities that public morals sensation as if I should tumble down any minute. would gain by the removal of licensed houses, or I could not imagine what was coming over me. kashi-zashiki, from all the respectable quarters; There was a had taste in my mouth, my breath then the system of regular medical inspection was bad, and my mouth would often fill with an which they were determined to enforce would be offensive slimy matter. My appetite was poor, easier and more certain; the tax upon each and after eating I suffered great pain and wind member of the demi-monds could be better would roll all over me. . I had much pain in the collected; the whole system, which is regulated stomach, and was sick every morning, and threw by very intri ate laws, enforced theoretically up a great deal of phlegm. I also had a pain like the thrust of a knife outling me between To understand the peculiar Japanese point of the shoulders and low down in the back at the view in this matter we must go back to the kidneys. When at work I got tired in five GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against

bureau of trade) with a dozan busy functionaries, time as best I could, for I had a wife and family and there, too, I was permitted as a special depending upon me. But it was a hard and favour to be present at the surolment of re- todious task, as even stooping made me cry out cruits. In a small room on the ground floor with pain. After a while I grew so weak I sat two officials behind desks on a raised could scarcely grawl about, and was compelled platform. Opposite them were sliding doors to give up my employment. When I ventured the wall, and as they were open out of doors I felt so dizzy that I had frequented from outside by a policeman three ly to stop and rest for fear of falling, and was persons entered the girl applying to be a so bad that people would think I was in drink. linensed shogi, her parent or guardian, and the and I had often to call at a chemist's and get a keeper of a kushi-sashiki. The girl is questioned, draught to help me home. I tried berbs and she roplies automatically with downesst eyes; other medicines, and was attended by a doctor, the parent is questioned, he roplied apologotical- but I got no better. In this dead-and-alive way ly with many explanations; the keep is is quast I lingered on until April, 1890, when my wife tioned, he replies profusely, with practised got an almance from the druggist, and in it I financy. There is a good deal of talk, and the read of a case of a railway grand at Manchester, official makes many entries in an elaborately who had been onced by a medicine called Mother ruled ledger before him. Then the three retire. Saigel's Curative Syrup after the doctors had In a moment the sliding doors open again to ad- given bim up. So I wrote to him, and he remit another trie, and so on, without variation, plied that it had enred him and would do me without emotion, formally and releutlessly the good. Upon this I got a bottle, and after a stream of victims is rolled on. The whole system is based upon the theory of it I was soon all right and back at my work, a civil contract: When a girl is forced by her and have been well ever since. When I feel any parents or desires of her own free will to become signs of stomach disorder a few doses set me a yojo or "lady of pleasure," the keeper of a right directly. I feel very grateful for the bone- modern features consistent with safety have with 2 Double Driving Engines. 1 JIB CRANE Tourist, giving as they do every detail in conkashi-zashiki is immediately ready to advance to fit I have received and wish others, who may be been adopted. the parents a certain sum of money, say 20 dols. ill, to know of it; as, if I had known of Mother Do or 50 dols., or, in very exceptional cases, perhaps | Seigel's Syrap at the outset, I would have been | 1014-6a| 100 dols. The girl, her parents, and a surety saved over four years' suffering. I have lived

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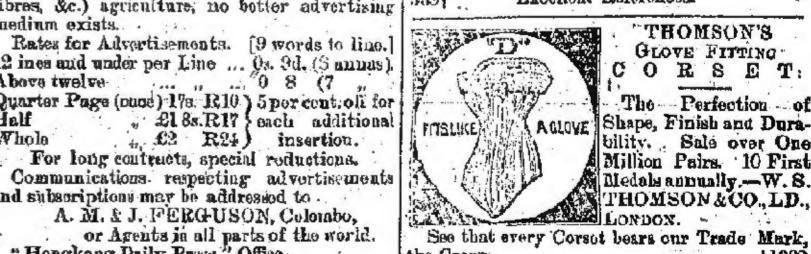
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man who had wrought this disaster. Jenny was grateful indeed, and she said so very prottily. But a woman's sense of obligation is always qualified—at least, the expression of it must be constrained - when she knows what payment her benefactor hopes. Moreover, Jenny old imbecile like this can perceive!"-for Mr. was auxious to follow Laura. She felt, as she Hagheshad loyally amitted all reference to Jenny. said herself, something of a lover's interest in this sweet girl whose power of brain was equal probably to that of the greatest men living. whose body was more feeble than a child's, Thus it happened that in ten minutes the

Sweyn had been cherishing the assurance that choose their future course. all would go well forthwith, if Laura, were relieved of her anxieties—relieved she was, but the wonder i-Macfarlane set himself to meditate, as brain must be affected, or ghosts do walk— some near relative, as watchful and loving—to prospect looked worse than ever. Macfarlane his judicious practice was: but with no partion- ghosts even drive! Jenny'stood with her mouth whom she will confide her troubles." had not such grave trouble. But Jenny's air lar result. It is much however, to be aware of open, speechless in amaze. was by no means what he would have liked; and an objection or a difficulty in one's path.

"I recognised that," he said, smiling, "on the upon the stages of civilisation. I need not say this encounter. first glance—at least, I recognised the character, more about a book which has not yet appeared. though I could not suppose it would have such ner ever will probably. These acquainted with such an awful mistake—such a series of idiotic special interest for me. Miss Bracebridge, to be the subject will understand. quite frank, belongs to the rare class of women who revolt against direction of any kind. much more against a proposal to surrender their independence. If they be allowed time to liking, and I venture to trust, respect. Then, point of view. The homestead is not two miles favoured by circumstances—not quite accidental. from ours." perhaps," he laughed "I should have taken her Macfarlane repressed an erclamation. "The you always turn up to convict me of it." by surprise, and secured my answer before the Capetown Professorship would be more in my

"You deserve to win her." cried the General, fashioned Beer." admiringly. "Why. Sw yn. this learned man "I warrant him genuine. But it was Bengada, too disconsolate to pursue the subject. understands Jenny's dispos tion bitterafter a few of Coleman Street, who wrote to Jenny about it. hours' study than I who have known her all my last week. I wanted to buy at the price, if only tonishment and explanation. Then the drag life! I will flatter your judgment by a violation as a speculation—for it's awfully onesp. We came round, and dismal forebodings silenced the of confidence, Mr. Macfarlane. When I. un- know every acre of the land. But Jerny won't p sangers. Inckily, readyour notealoud—in my bexilderment, hear of it. The pluckiest of women are timid "Allow me to suggest something," said Macyou know, for I had heard nothing of the facts - | when it comes to speculating, aren't they ?" my son and I both agreed that Jenny was not in- "That's one of their merits. Shall we get Miss Bracebridge will drive." disposal towards you, so far as it went-so far as | back to lunch ?" it went! But then, she shut herself up all day. The subject dropped. But two hours after Cape cart is by no means like our English one, whilst I was paying you a visit, and or my re- Macfarlane's solicitor received a telegram, and and when the Professor's was brought up Mr. turn-I am sorry to say so, but such a strategist | before Meiars, Banada o'osed then offer in Finghes declared it quite an equipage. The ought to be informed—she desired me to write Coleman Street, that gentleman o Had, with a superior comfort of such travel needed no ex-Result of reflection as you say."

"Ha! Ve., unfortunate-but my fault. I took it for granted you king the Well -I never saw the woman before in all my life operation, though the "general idea" as strate- and Macfurlane drove the others. It was inwhom I felt any wish to marry! At my years, guets say, was obvious. Jouny could not profess provement iquiloulable. They were not stifled General, a man must put his wite into his court- to fear incompatibility of associations when he with dust nor jo ted beyond bearing. They ship, sacing he has not the sympathy of jouth was her neighbour on the veldt.

three, was more vit sions of mind and body than and others perceived it in her manner, though and hotter.

onuse the examination occupie i his time. Sweyn until her health was quite restored. Charne- Macfarlane could not deny this statement. had taken up his residence in London, the Gen- teristically, however, in all her meditations she Both gentlemen already showed a worried, eral's solicitors giving him a stool in their office, bad never thought of les convenances. Sir anxious look which he saw with alarm. there to learn the practice of law before studying | William quite approved in the abstract, but, of | He could only say, "Miss Bracebridge will be THE WEEKLY "CEYLON OBSERVER." | the theory in chambers. He worked hard to course, he prenounced it flatly impossible for sadly distressed. Your daughter souns to enjoy with SUPPLE LENTS containing all Teledistract his thoughts, and rarely went home- two unmarried girls to go out alone, and dwell the heat, autually. I see an amazing improve- graphic Intelligence. never, as time went on, to Chesham. For Jenny alone in the wilderness. Even Sweyn would ment in her." was obliged to tell him that his visits had a bad not be there, though that was a questionable "I don't blams Jenny, poor girl," Sir William Rupees 19 per annue, in advance. Received at effect. It was not that Laura disliked them - disadvantage. Sir William r-viewed the elder- continued. "She is so terribly strong that the Hongkong Daily Press" Office. quite the contrary. The poor girl hardly con- ly ladies among his kinsfolk who might be per- sourcely notices things that crush other people. cealed her love, though Swayn had not ventured snaded to act as chaperon. But Jenny rejected Yes, Laura is recovering health in a marvellous to speak openly again. But she was ill, not them all with horror. only with disorders such as treatment can cure Macfarlano found them at this dead-look, and justified in remaining here one hour longer. It -perhaps-but more especially with nervous released them in three minutes. Why should is a cruel situation.

troubles beyond the grasp of science.

that one morning, when the examination had vaguely-compelled him to say good-bye. Mr. William would have insisted on turning back. THE JUBILEE of HONGKONG Toi Lee, German str., 828, Calender, May 6, to spend a few days at Chesham.

Jenny had been so very dull that she could followed two months later by the party Sweyn unshaded by trees standing bare and stark on a scarcely resist the longing to desert her post. was left behind, but he had some consulation. grey plain. They saw it under the best condi-Laura did not improve-or very, very slowly. Laura received him now, and long since, without lions, indeed. All the stock was gathered in dong since the time proposed for this visit to the formality of a second proposal, he was review—thousands of sheep waiting, each flock DESCRIPTION OF THE INDUSTRIES England had resched an end. She had actually accepted with Sir William's consent. Upon headed by its hand of goats, to which alone no one to ride with even, if the General w s co- the young lady's return, robust as a milkmaid, the Hottentot shepherd gave his orders; a fine gaged, or the weather threatened his rheumatics. and lively as Diane chasseresse, he hoped, they herd of cattle, bellowing and struggling on one To her great surprise, she discovered that a were to be married learned Professor may be a fair horseman -or Those two months were delightfully busy with ments; twenty or thirty horses on the other indeed something more than f ir. Not only did Mecfarlane, who wished to have his farm in side: two camels with young, and a drove of Macfarlane ride with hor; he even persuaded working order, or nest at least, before Jenny ostriches. A lively and charming scene it was, Laura to monet a very quiet pony semetimes, to saw it again. It cost mon-y. He took over two musical with "bun" of lambs, and "low" of the great advantage of her health. For this English shepherds-Scotch are too dogmatic to cows, impatient to be milked. Laura screamed as devement Jouny was particularly grateful, get on fast under new conditions-and he en- with delight, as they emerged from a "kloof" It favoured plans she had long entertained, with gaged a manager of experience in Capetown, and beheld it for away. But pastoral pictures

would not allow himself to be decaired. The homestead comfortably. It may be believed Jenny came out alone to thank him once more. Benalder, British at r., 1,296. McIntosh, May 7, young lady liked him at first; she liked him that time passed quickly. His agent at Cape- as he drove off. "It is all as misarable as could better now; but she nover thought of marriage, town forwarded the felegraphic list of passen, be, almost," she said dismally "But if you had Bengloo, British she, 1,183, Farquiar; May 13, and a proposal would be fittly, findly negatived. gers by every mail. Before the names expected not turned up in that extraordinary fashion, what much to his taste that he we red wim to come cid-es ablished cort of sir, down from Saturday to Stonday for the rest of Liura picked up strength and, above all, smiling, because I settled in South Africa with Borneo, Datch str., 1,49 \ H. Klein, May 13, his existence! And Macfa lane did so frequently spirits, hour by hour on the vovage. The old no pu pose or hope but to relieve you, so far as during the summer term. Thus Mr. Hughes gentlemen also found themselves benefited. The a man can, of all your troubles, when I cannot Brindian British str., 2,129, E. Street, May 12, had an opportunity to observe the relations of sea was smooth, the servants attentive, Sir share them. Of course, therefore, I was looking sitting slone with Jenny, after the Professor course with. They felt the heat a good deal, but ing, and not looking in his face, which was

von would be a more loving parent."

"You mer more selfish. The most lov- parison, that is she had scarcely thought how sulfenly unpacking it. After the easy, hospiting thing parent can do toward his these sedentary old man would suffer in the able tashion of the land, she entered the living daughter is to put her in the saf a good plaza of a South African autumn. Our acquaintrace began under most unfavoure the lines upon her forebead, the stooping walk- "Ah; the Professor will agree with me.

I have a very deep regard and respect for you. the sun fairly burnt them out of their lyds by before running to Jenny. That young lady Kinngchow, British str., 238, A. Cralckshank, Thorndele, Brit, str., 1,971, Et! bring lon, Apr. 21, I have a great regard and respect also for Pro- eight o'clock, and then the flies devoured them: tried to say semething-indignant, perhaps-but

feedor Maclarlane. He has said not one word of At this point a drag sent on from Capebown was Laura held her, whispering convolutely. After

brief passionate form;

thought to exchange po "Oh. just let me tell Macfarlano that, my dear! allowance for the infirmities of others. it himself; a wary and prodest course, for had village. Jenny seen the address in that handwriting as- "We will stay here to night," said Jenny, and accompanied the happy pair to their home suredly it would never have reached Camford, and after apologising for her thoughtlessness, events would have turned out otherwise.

Macfarlane read the letter with amazement, "To think," He mattered, "that I have overlooked a consideration so obvious, which a dear patting the explanation forward as an idea of his

The Professor did not do himself justice. He beginning had not exactly overlooked the weariness and antipathy of all sorts which a girl like this would terview the blocks. They could not go slow, of good husband and happiness. Thousands of three gentlemen were walking back, Mr. Hughes suffer in a life among done and their woman-course, especially with fresh horses, but they girls find the same who cannot read or write." having carried off their phæton. Two at least kind. He had never thought of Jenny leading need not gallop. As the left the stable, a "cart" "Allow me," said Macfarlane, "That is not felt that the triumph had "fizzled" somehow, such an existence. It would be her right to drove up, a dandy cart, new painted, with the moral of the case. The Higher Training is

she did not propose returning home that day. About this time Sweyn paid him a visit of were coming, and I drove over to welcome you. So they spent the evening alone, and the several days and they had long talks. The "Is it Professor Macfarlane—in flash and Professor talked-not better than usual, pro- young fellow pined in this summer weather for blood?" she gasped. bably, but in a way to astonish and delight his native veldt, as he called it—and gave des- "It is indeed?" He jumped down. "But General Bracebridge. This was the son in-law criptions of life in South Africa of, which Mao regard me as a Boer henceforward. I am the he would have chosen, had it been left to him ! farlane never seemed to tire. The fact is that owner of Benevil's farm, and the supremney of your They spoke freely after dinner, and let Mucfar he was looking for hints to be embodied after fleeces it going to be challenged at last, I warn lane understand that Jenny would be hard to verification—in an audacious little work already you Sir William is here, and Miss Patter P"

listen so patiently. reflect, their instinct will always incline them punt on lenil, "von ought to come over to us, before evening and take the next mail to England Blow Pelals, Blow Handle, Pedals—1 Set 30 G. Waspaus, Brit. bark, 531, Christensan, Note Pedal Roots, 16 feet Pitch. General. My hope was to gain her friendship, might be a good speculation for you in another see what I can do."

had time to think. Unfortunately, Miss Brace- line, thank you," he laughed. "But I should not put it rather that good fortune leads me to like to see Mr. Beauvil, if he is a real old. your side when you are in trouble?"

at once and tell you it was out of the question. view to purchase the Bernvil form. A few days planation. later it was his, but immediately transferred to "And I said you could not help me," Jonny Eugene Macfarlane. Thus only these two knew | murmured to him, aside. "Oh, I can so gratethe secret. Macfgriane had no distinct plan of al." She herself clung to the drag, however,

At his next visit to Chesham, however, he range seenery, note a herd of springbok in the "You do yourself injustice." the General be found a certain excitement reigning. Quiet, distance, and the pretty meercats at hand, watch gen-and so he did. A man is as old at he feels. rest, above all exercise, had begun to tell on the mirage, ever changing shape and character. or as young, and Professor Maefa land, at forty- Laura. She herself was conscious of a change, But the awful sun remained, growing botter nine in ten of the undergraduates who followed as yet there with few outward signs. Hoon "I fear, Macfarlane," said Sir William, draw-his feetures. But we need not pursue their this be brance of the property blought forward a schoole ing him aside at the outspan, "I fear I cannot long and impatiently kept back. She proposed endure this Nor can Hughes, certainly. A of Mail and of other important Intelligence He did not return for some weeks, partly be. to take Laura to South Africa, there to remain mouth of it would kill him.

not Sir William go, and Mr. Hughes also, if he You would not take Miss Patten away now?" The state of things seemed hopeless for both fancied the journey? He did, and so, in due "How could I possibly leave her in charge of lovers, but for Macfarlane in particular, because time, did Sir William. Jenny made no opp si an unmarried girl in this lonely country? It's he had not yet begun his wooing when these ob. Ition. She warned them it would be hat, and out of the question. And I must add that stacles interposed. Assistance came from a very that luxuries must not be expected; but the Jenny's thoughtlessness—that is not quite the prespected quarter. After that disa-trons objection was so faint that nobody heeded, word-her mability to sympathise with-or effort to assert himself, Mr. Hughes could no There was much delay, however. When such rather—to comprehend the frailty of ordinary longer resist the pressure from all quarters: travellers start for a long voyage many things mortals, does not strengthen my confidence in her He resigned his office, and then, having no have to be sattled at home, many things to be fitness to take ours of a delicate child." The family, drifted, as it were, to the house of his old purchased, and many arrangements made. To horses were put to. "However," he added, "we school-fellow and life-long friend. Sir William find servants alone is a task of the utmost will wait a few days. Possibly, one may not feel was glad to receive him for an indefinite stay. gravity. But Jenny had everything in charge, the heat so much when settled beneath a roof." It might have been expected that Mr. Hughes and she worked wonders. Masterlane perceived Macfuriane know the worth of that solace. would cherish ill-will towards the man who had that he had no time to lose. With expressions Another sweltering night, in a cottage where upset his scheme of life, though innocently, of deep regret and disappointment, he announced all three men had to share a tiny room, another But such was not his feeling. He conceived a that it would not be possible for him to see them day upon the blazing veldt, very, very nearly great admiration for Professor Macfarlane, off. An old standing engagement to spend the decided the question. Had he not felt himself which Laura shared. So, briefly, it came about long vacation with a friend abroad—so he put it unable to bear the journey without a rest, Sir long been over, and the Senior Examiner was at Hughes, was puzzled; so was Laura; so was At evening they reached their destination. his wits' end to devise a means for renewing Jonny perhaps, though she would not have ad- Jenny, pushing in advance, had all things ready, intercourse with Jenny, he received an invitation mitted it. But next day he left, with an air of and the homestead was as comfortable as cirlight indifference more puzzling still, even a constances would permit—as pretty also. But HISTORICAL SKETCH. The visit proved a great success, even in the little disconcerting to the young lady. A week an English eye does not easily become aconstomquarter wher he was most auxious to succeed afterwards. Macfarlane suited for the Cape, ed to such buildings, dazzling with whitewash,

very little hope of carrying them through. Kaffirs and Huttentets remained upon the do not comfort old gendlemen in distress. Mac-A less clear-sighted lover might have funcied land. Stock also he bought in sufficient num- farlane saw that the catastrophe would soon Ancona, British str., 1,888, W. D. Mudie, May 2, he was making rapid progress, but Macfarlane bers to make a beginning, and he furnished the arrive, and he prepared for it in his way.

Sir William Patten found this visitor so were found therein, Beauvil's farm had quite an would have become of us?" hose two, and-being sharp amongh to such William had in priv to library and an occlesi- out for an opportunity." gound he soon understood them One day, astical dignitary of learning sufficient to dis- "What can you mean?" she murmured, blushthat must be expected, runing down the West significant. "It I had a daughter, thise Bracebridge, I Coast of Africa. One day Sir William observed . "If you cannot guess, after so many months, Cicero, British str., 1,030, A. George, May 9, show'd f'el it a great relief to entrus, her to that essually that he would find the cool, breezy eli- will you listen patiently when I explain?" Not mate of the Cape paculiarly delightru .fter this waiting a reply, Macfarlane departed.

husband. That's a very it to mioned idea, They kept up their spirits, however, even at express my sorrow, but it is absolutely imbut it's not in this house that any reasoning Capetown-all would be well on the veldt up possible." creature would uphold the new fushion. A happy country. The ecclesisatical dignitary and his All eyes turned to Manfarlane. Laura was mess our friend Putton has made with it! Well, Ind; pressed them to stay, but in vain. Laura sobbing on her father's breast. Jenny sat, nor Miss Bracebridge, being a childless regained strength by leaps and bounds. She very pale a figure of despair; the veterans look- Fooksang, British str., 1971. S. Wilde, May 8, wide ser, I regard an good girls as my daughters, leved the heat. Sir William heard her singing, and miserable, but firm, as men making a stand and you-permit me to say so in particular, positively, sometimes. The weary movements, for life.

cumetances long ago. There is no danger that without repreach the very serious discomforts fact in utilising it. He advanced, smiling. you will make a new set at this stage of our to which he was subject. Mr. Hughes also . "I should not have dared to propose such a perspired in silence. fence at an old man who has no purpose in speak. the air was as saltry as mountide, and full of dust. to have the protection of a husband, I--ing b youd an anxious with to seeme your hap. Reaching Camford before dawn, the hapless. They burst into laughter. The blushes flew

his feeling for you, but it is manifest. Please weiting, "carts" for the servants, and a waggen an logiant's struggle, she ran from the room, don't go!" He rose at the same time. "If you for the impedimenta, Globbilly, after breakfast, carrying the girl with her. They felt sure it was Kutsang, British str., 1,495. Jackson, May 8 tell me you are determined never to marry I say Bir William took his neat. He mid nothing yet, a double peal they heard as the door closed. no more, because you have not arrived at that but all perceived that the expedition was a sail So Jenny was won. Laura brought the assur- i. conclusion without thought, I am sure, and I mistake Till nom they rolled over the sternal ange of her consent presently, and by evening it veldt in breakneck fashjon, travelling in a shroud was formally acknowledged. In offering his Jonny heard no further. The General's un- of dust, dissolved in perspiration, a prey to flies. congratulations, Mr. Hughes saidforgotten speech recurred to ber mind, express tossed up and down, or sloping at an angle that "I expected this long ago, Professor. But ing the same notion, as she fancied, with the threatened upset, holding on to the stanchions of afterwards I thought myself mistaken." greater freedom of a parent. "If Jouny, being the awning for life. The read was a track of ... No, my dear, old friend," Maefarlane replied, pressions of gratitude on returning to the study the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry, wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry, wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry. Wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry. Wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry. Wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry. Wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is, is resolved not to marry. Wheels. In vain did Jenny urge the stalwart heartily. "It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is is resolved not to marry. It was your hint that put me on the Pombrokeshire, Brit. str., 3,000, Godge, May 13, and the sensible girl she is in the sensi appointment. The agilation of the scene, which made her everlook the thousand subteringes by he hold the four galloping horses firmly in hand, for my introduction to Jenny. When we trace which a woman can escape, if she choose even whilst his comrade, the "driver," cracked a back the threads that have weren so happily toto answer such questioning. Plushing hotly, twenty-feet whip, and yelled Dutch ourses. Mr. gether, it really sooms as if this marriage were Jonny gave a reasoned explanation, though in Hughes was in a pitiable state of fear and made in Heaven. Had I not met Jenny, I should misery. Sir William set his teeth, and spoke cortainly have died a bachelor. And she is good

men and silly women, with whom I have not one tion, had she not been furious: It was all her she could honour and obey until she met me." fault! Once more she had forgotten to make I'm certain he But Jeany was gone, rag. At meon they reached an "Accommodation they set out for Capetown; in a fortuight the ing at herself. Hughes considered awhile, with- House, -the significant Cape name for an lovers were married, and the old gentlemen redrew to his own room wrote a letter, and posted amateur inn-standing in a pretty old Dutch turned to Europe. Laura spent the brief time

whilst I sand for my own people. "How much further have we to go P" asked Sir William. " Till to morrow avening. I fear."

"Then we will bear the ills we have," he ans-

wered, firmly, Widow Groothede had never "accommodated"

snowy awning, and a handsome pair-s white right and wholesome; but a girl should not be Seeing she did not understand this and no servant beside the man driving too! Why, her submitted to it unless she have a mother or Good day, Miss Bracebridge! I heard you

began, which should upset the current theory. Jenny pull no more attention to the marvel of

"Yes," she cried, delefully, "and I have made a such an awful mistake—such a series of idiotic C. Scale, Six Sets of Reeds, Fifteen Stops, Viz., oversights. I forgot that Sir William could not Diapason. Melodia. Viola, Dulcet, Principal. But Sweyn supposed it was an undeveloped stand the heat at this season. I forgot how bad Celeste, Flate D'Amour, Cello, Cromona, Fagle passion for coldt life which caused his heat to our roads are and how those Moznenbiquers Horn, Forte, Vox Hamana, Octave Coupler, drive. The poor old gentlemen are half dead Bourdon Pedal, Manual to Pedals, Grand "Why," he said one day as they reclined in a already. I seriously believe they will turn back Organ, Foot Pedal, Swell Foot Pedal, Foot.

cannot expect to rouse in your daughter, next farm to ours, wants to soil it. I say, that inwardly chanting peans of triumph. "Let me any morning between the hours of 10 a.m. and "Whata fool I am, after all," Jenny exclaimed, with passion, as they walked. " And, somehow.

"That's unkind," he laughed. "Could you "Oh, you can't holp me here." Jenny answered The next scene may be passed over-all as

farlane, "Suppose you proceed in my cart A blessed idea! They already know that a

could talk and even laugh a little, wonder at the

way. If it were not for that; I should not feel

side the dam as they were led to water in detach-

"It was not really extraordinary," he said,

"If you were a father, Mr. Hughes I hope experience! Jenny felt a forthoding thrill. He rode over next morning. The heavy wag-Indifferent herself to heat as to cold-by com- gon had arrived, and the English servants were Decima, German str , 565, Christenson, May 11,

room. Sir William was saying -" I could not

all had gone. For the first time now he under- have told Jenny that if she had a husband's pro- Glenfalloub, British str., 1,431, Derke, May 3, Jenny interrupted smilingly. That subject stood, by this centrast, what his child must have tection I should be overloyed to leave my had never been mentioned before nor hinted at suffered under a training she had not strength | daughter here. But, as things stand, it cannot be. by Mr. Hughes since the day of his discomfiture. to hear. And his gratitude to Jenny was pro- The chance had come—in a moment, perhaps, "I have forgotten all the enfavourable cir- portionate. That feeling enabled him to endure it would be gone for ever. All depended on his Hankow, British str., 2,235, Liloyd, Butterfield thing on my merits," he said, "but if Miss piness. Come, now, Jenny, you believe that? veterans got a few bours' sleep at the hotel; but to Laura's face, but she clapped her hands in glee

" How could I live at Orford among learned not a word. Jenny might have cried with your among to hint that she had never seen the man Sir William took patieng, ander these circum-

Stances but there was no time to lose. Next day of honeymoon as a guest at the Bishop's house. on the valdt. A year inter, they took her back to Chesham, as bright of eye and rosy of cheekthough terribly sunburnt—as bold in the saddle. and as clover in the dairy, as any Boer maiden who can read no print except a folio Bible. There she was married to Sweyn, who did not go back to the colony.

"And so, Professor," said Mr. Hughes, after more miserable party. And it was but the the ceremony, "this is the moral of the Higher Training! The pursuit of it brought Laura to Before they started. Jenny went round to in- death's door. Throwing it up, she has found a

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